

Most striking domestic news of the week was the announcement by W.P.T.B. head, Donald Gordon, last Sunday that **BUTTER RATIONING** would go into effect Monday, December 21. Canadian consumers are limited to a half-pound per week per person. The bitter rationing pill was sugar coated with an announced price reduction of two cents per pound and an increase in the producer bonus to ten cents. The brown cards marked "spare C" in the present ration books will be used for butter purchases and are only good for a two-week period. Shortage of butter is blamed on panic buying which made immediate rationing necessary. Difficulties in enforcement were admitted by Donald Gordon, who appealed to Canadians to "play the game" in the move to prevent a famine.

Fundamental factor behind the **PRESENT BUTTER CRISIS** is an abnormal gain in demand, but complicating it also has been some hoarding, and a disturbance through **VARIOUS SUBSIDIES** of the delicate balance of prices paid farmers in the main dairy lines. Specific Ottawa action, aimed to correct the last two points, is expected shortly. So far this year butter consumption in Canada has been running **TWO MILLION POUNDS** monthly ahead of last year and production a shade behind. The result has been a sharp contraction of accumulated stocks in cold storage and the present crisis. Normally at this time **CHEESE FACTORIES** would be closing and the milk thus released would, in the form of cream, find its way into butter. This winter most of that milk is being used to bolster supplies for direct city consumption or is going to condensaries or powdered milk plants. Consumption of fluid milk in Canada has been boosted to unheard of levels, largely because this is the most popular of all drinks in munitions factories and also in many more homes since **COFFEE AND TEA** went on the ration list. And milk, the authorities point out, is the original raw material for all dairy products, including butter.

Curtailment of **SPIRITS, WINES AND BEER**, by reduction of amounts released for sale by bonded warehouses, was announced by Prime Minister King last week. In a move which he described as being an integral part of Canada's war effort, Mr. King stated that beer consumption would be cut by ten per cent, wines twenty per cent and **HARD LIQUORS THIRTY PER CENT**. The Prime Minister said that there had been an increase of almost forty per cent in liquor consumption during the past year and that beer drinking was up 60 per cent. In addition to curtailment of liquor consumption, it was announced that **ALL LIQUOR ADVERTISEMENTS** would be banned after February 1, 1943.

While the Finance Department remains cool or at best lukewarm, Ottawa opinion in favor of adopting the "**RUM**" **TAX PLAN** in Canada seems to be growing in strength. Pros and cons of the "Rum" plan for gearing income tax payments to current income were discussed at some length prior to the last budget. By the terms of that budget, Canada went **ONE THIRD OF THE WAY** by providing that income taxes should be deducted at source starting in September. How much further Canada should go (if at all) is thought to be a matter of judgment as to (a) timing and (b) degree. Assuming the basic idea of the plan is sound, then the question arises as to whether it should be put in effect now or not until the end of the war, when the "forgiving" of tax arrears could be argued to have more important psychological benefits. The next point is whether certain modifications of the plan might not be introduced so as to provide only a **PARTIAL "FORGIVING"** of accrued income tax liability, or place a limit so far as size of income is concerned. What worries some of those who have studied the plan is the fact that it would be a gift to income taxpayers at the expense of those "small" wage earners **WHO PAY MOST**, if not all, their taxes through the sales and other indirect taxes. The larger the individual's income the larger is the amount he stands to gain from having eight months of unpaid tax liability "forgiven."

The Department of National Defence announced last week that a cost of living bonus would be paid to **SOLDIERS' DEPENDENTS**. The pay of a private in the Canadian Army **WILL BE INCREASED** to \$1.50 per day after serving for a period of six months. If the soldier is a married man, he will, however, be required to increase his assigned pay which his wife receives from \$20 to \$23 monthly. **MOTHERS**, who are soldiers' dependents, will also receive an increase; and the number of his dependents will be increased from four to six. This brings the standard of the Canadian soldier **ON A PAR** with the Navy and Air Force, and makes him the **HIGHEST PAID SOLDIER** in the world. These increases will incur an increased governmental expenditure of \$35,000,000 yearly.

Production from British Columbia's **FOUR BASIC INDUSTRIES**—mining, agriculture, fisheries and timber—will reach a value of approximately \$285,000,000 this year, an all-time record, it was indicated in an unofficial survey. Figures for 1942 will not be definitely known until after the new year. Last year production reached \$281,000,000, itself a record. **TIMBER PRODUCTION** is expected to reach \$120,000,000, about the same as last year. While the output will be about 12 per cent smaller this year, **INCREASED VALUES** keep up the total figure. **MINING** is expected to yield \$75,000,000 this year, about the same as last year. **FISHERIES** will probably be worth \$30,500,000 this year, compared with \$31,700,000 in 1941. **AGRICULTURE** will show the biggest gain, and is expected to increase from \$55,000,000 last year to \$60,000,000 in 1942.

Ottawa has announced amendment of the War Service Regulations making **MARRIED MEN** eligible for compulsory military service. The original regulations applied only to single men and the amendment presages start of married men call-up next spring. **A FURTHER PROCLAMATION** calling specific age groups must be issued before drafting of married men is instituted.

The Prices Stability Corporation is arranging with Canadian **CHARTERED BANKS** for the payment of the new subsidy to all milk sellers. The Prices Board states that the use of bank facilities would enable milk sellers to **RECEIVE THEIR SUBSIDY PROMPTLY**, and would ensure that consumers throughout Canada get the benefit of the two-cents-per-quart price reduction for milk which became effective December 16.

## Box Shook Makers Submit Proposal To Fruit Industry

If Proposal Accepted, Price Per Apple Box Will Be Increased About Three and A Half Cents—Must Order Four Million Before End of January—Other Containers Up Twenty Per Cent—Manufacturers Promise to do Best to Deliver Under Existing Conditions—Meeting of Shippers' Federation will Discuss Proposal Next Week—Manufacturers Had Conference With Fruit Officials on Tuesday

As a result of a meeting between box shook manufacturers and fruit officials on Tuesday, the box shook situation has been clarified somewhat, and apple boxes may be available for the industry next year, although the price will probably be increased about three and a half cents per box. The suggestions made by the manufacturers will be considered at a meeting of the Federated Shippers called for next Tuesday. Present at the meeting this week was Hugh Dalton, secretary of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, Vancouver.

The manufacturers' delegation pointed out that the 1942 price of box shook was based on the market value of lumber as lumber plus the cost of converting lumber into boxes. This price was \$29.22 per thousand board feet, or \$16.40 per hundred apple boxes.

On the same basis the cost the coming year will be \$36.00 per m.b.f., or \$20.25 for a hundred apple boxes. However, if growers and packers handle their own deliveries, the price would be reduced to \$19.75 per hundred boxes. This proposal is advanced with the conditions that the fruit industry place before the end of January a firm order for at least four million boxes, and not less than the same quantity of other containers used in 1942, these later to be in accordance with price by twenty per cent. Any further increase in lumber prices is to be reflected in any subsequent orders after the end of January.

The manufacturers suggested that an agency such as B.C. Tree Fruits should place all orders and handle all payments. While fruit officials are agreeable to B.C. Tree Fruits making a survey and placing the order, it is not at all certain that it is agreeable that the selling agency should handle the payments for shook. As to the price, fruit officials are now considering this and it will be discussed at next week's meeting. It is recalled that as much as 22 cents was paid for boxes some years ago. On their part, manufacturers agreed to give priority to the filling of box shook orders, subject only to being able to secure logs, labor and mill supplies, and subject to the government demand.

If the proposal is accepted by the industry, it will be necessary to secure the approval of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board to the increase in the ceiling price.

L.A.C. Wallace McKie, R.C.A.F.

who is a pilot, arrived at Kelowna on Monday to spend

seven days' leave, the guest of his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A.

McKie, Glenn Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Buck will

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## This Christmas

The first cry of a newborn child is louder by far than the thunder of guns, and more insistent. The surface of the sea may be lashed by the gale until the spindrift flies from the crest of the waves, but the fish swim lazily in the dim translucent vastness beneath, untouched and undisturbed by the boiling fury at the surface. The dreadful majesty of war is a manifestation, a fever which passes, not a reality. Life still goes on and is governed by unchanging laws.

We should not let war's thunder distract our minds from the quieter and more familiar matters which are deliberately recalled to our memories each year at Christmas time. Our justification for fighting this war is that these simple things must be preserved, and we shall lose our stomach for the fight if we do not keep them before us, turn them over, examine them and enjoy them.

There is dignity in the ordinary man laboring faithfully at the work he knows to give shelter and protection to those he loves. There is the promise of regeneration in every impulsive act of kindness, and hope for the future in every fond smile. These are things which all can understand, though tangled of international problems leave them baffled and bewildered.

The headlines scream of tragedy and triumph, victory and disaster, but there is still comfort to be found in the miracles which happen to every man. Birth itself and death, the love of friends, the unexpected kindness, and the warm impulses which well up inside him, the changing seasons, the healthy appetites and the luxury of sleep—these things go on. And it is because they are infinitely more precious than the gilded laurels which reward ambition that four-fifths of the civilized world is now banded against that other fifth which has lost touch with reality.

In ages past, the world has been held spell-bound by tales of the adventures of Aeneas, the conquests of Alexander and the prowess of Achilles. But the story which held more people enthralled than any of these is the story of a child's birth in the stable of a crowded inn, watched over by shepherds and acclaimed by kings. Ringing through the troubled years and mellowing the savage moods of Western civilization, this story of a carpenter's family in a village outpost of the Roman Empire still has the power to touch the hardest heart. The scene is set in an atmosphere all too familiar to the people of Europe today. The crushing taxation of Caesar Augustus, the purge of the innocents by Herod, the Roman centurions exacting tribute and listening for treasonable utterances—all these are with us again. The martyrs are being put to death in public squares, and mothers are being delivered of their offspring in stables and barns, for there is no room for them in comfortable lodgings.

But now there are not twelve who follow, nor twenty to gather around the manger and the cross. Their number is legion and the trampling of their feet echoes round the world. To those who still keep heart, the angel comes bringing glad tidings of great joy, and we are reminded that the enduring things have not perished. Hope marches with us in the armor of faith, and as another Christmas dawn breaks those childhood Christmases will crowd upon us once more. We shall sit and listen to the familiar beautiful words, and they will light again the old glow: "And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, 'Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace and goodwill to men'."

## Butter Rationing

The one thing the public of Canada should never forget about the butter rationing is that they alone are responsible. Immediately Donald Gordon announced his program there was an inclination to complain that Ottawa officials had said there would be no rationing of butter, and now they had double-crossed the Canadian public.

The truth of the matter, of course, is that a portion of the Canadian public had double-crossed the remainder.

What Ottawa did say six weeks ago was that at that time there was no intention of rationing butter, and asked every housewife to co-operate in avoiding any rationing by using as little butter as possible so that the temporary shortage might be passed without official rationing.

And what did housewives do, a large por-

portion of them at least? They commenced laying in a supply of butter far in excess of their normal needs. There are many stories going the rounds about butter purchases during recent weeks. There is the one—apparently well founded—of the Vancouver man who every day bought two pounds of canned butter over a considerable period. That situation was repeated so many times across Canada that Canada's reserve stocks of butter were dwindling away and official rationing had to be introduced to protect that portion of the public which was doing the patriotic thing by trying to reduce its consumption and buying no more than normal supplies.

Probably in this district a very large number of housewives felt a glow of self-righteousness and selfish self-satisfaction as they listened to Donald Gordon on Sunday night. If they had any conscience at all, they would have sat with red face and a spirit of humiliation, for it is they and their kind who are responsible for the rationing of butter. However, very few of them were embarrassed; persons who are so unpatriotic as to hoard butter when asked not to, for the good of the country and their fellow citizens, have too hardened consciences to have felt any sense of embarrassment at Donald Gordon's words. But, if these persons have hardened consciences, what of the man who on Monday morning, so it is reported, went to his grocer and persuaded him to give him butter and put it on his Saturday's bill? That man is surely devoid of all sense of decency?

The normal Canadian consumption of butter has increased this year, but during recent weeks there has been such an increase in butter purchases that it became evident that a disgracefully large proportion of the people of this country were hoarding this commodity. So serious had this hoarding become that, to protect the persons who were trying to do the right thing, Ottawa officials were forced to take drastic action. Undoubtedly they did so very reluctantly because of all commodities now rationed butter is going to be the most difficult to handle. There are many, many difficulties that must be ironed out, and the situation must have been very serious to convince Wartime Prices and Trade Board officials that rationing was necessary. A commodity as difficult to control as butter would be the last rationed unless the W. P. T. B. officials were forced into it. They were forced to take this step by those Canadian housewives who now have more than their normal, current supply stored away.

These people are supposed to report such storage to the proper authorities. It is hardly likely that more than a very small proportion of them will do so. It is to be hoped that the Wartime Prices and Trade Board will leave no stone unturned to expose and penalize those hoarders who fail to follow the regulations.

## What It Means

(Kirkland Lake Northern News)

In these days of multiple delegations to Ottawa perhaps it would be wise to examine some of the official jargon with which patient cabinet ministers send the delegates home happy and contented.

"Careful consideration," and "sympathetic consideration," are talismanic words around which the delegates build their hopes of ultimate action in the clearing up of their particular ills, be they municipal or otherwise.

Following is a list, compiled by some tired civil servant, of the meanings officialdom applies to the cant phrases used in dealing with official supplies—and the dismissal of delegations.

Under consideration: Never heard of it.

Under active consideration: Will have a shot at finding the file.

Will receive careful consideration: A period of inactivity covering a time lag.

Sympathetic consideration: Better do something about it, this gang's getting vote conscious.

Full consideration: Tell them no and get it over with.

Wafflebottom Club: Business men who wait for hours on cane-seated chairs.

The milk route: Daily round of visits by business men to various offices trying to get a defence order.

Torch bearer: A sympathetic government employee who actually takes an interest in following through a case.

Have you any remarks: Give me some idea of what it's all about.

The project is in the air: Am completely ignorant of the subject.

You will remember: You have forgotten, or never knew, because I don't.

Transmitted to you: You hold the bag awhile, I'm tired of it.

Concur generally: Haven't read the document and don't want to be bound by anything I say.

In conference: Gone out, don't know where he is.

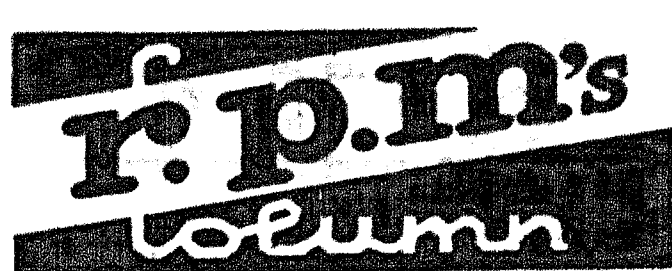
Kindly expedite reply: Try and find the papers.

Passed to high authority: Pigeonholed in more sumptuous office.

In abeyance: A state of grace for disgraceful state.

Appropriate action: Do you know what to do with it? We don't.

Giving him the picture: Long, confusing and inaccurate statement to a newcomer.



A—Merry Christmas to you!  
r p m

M—ay the Giver of gifts bring you a full life, a happy life, and a useful one. . .  
r p m

E—very day may your opportunities, your horizon and your heart be enlarged. . .  
r p m

R—ight at your side may you have those whom you love, cheering you on. . .  
r p m

R—egularly as the day and night may you find useful work to do. . .  
r p m

Y—early may you find yourself further up the hill of your own climbing. . .  
r p m

C—heerily may your way lie among the pleasant paths and valued friendships. . .  
r p m

H—appily may you close each day without cause for self-recrimination. . .  
r p m

R—ightfully that which you have earned may you enjoy in security and peace. . .  
r p m

I—n sickness or in health, may you be given strength to carry on. . .  
r p m

S—eeing, may you learn the beauty that clothes a universe of ever-lasting wonder. . .  
r p m

T—hankfully may you accept the hazards of the game, your life, the greatest gift of all. . .  
r p m

M—ay peace come before another Christmas, and may fortune turn her kindest face to you. . .  
r p m

A—lone, may you have sense to fill your heart with friendships. . .  
r p m

S—urrounded, may you ever keep your head above the wrack and din. . .  
r p m

T—o all men may you turn a single countenance, and that an honest one. . .  
r p m

O—n no one, save your Maker, may you ever have to lean for daily bread. . .  
r p m

Y—our darkest fears, may they dissolve before your eyes. . .  
r p m

O—nward may you ever see your path both light and clear. . .  
r p m

U—nheralded, may the Giver of gifts give this, and more, to you. . .  
r p m

A MERRY Christmas to you, then, in this year of 1942. . .  
r p m

A YEAR IN which the world suffers—and grows . . . A year which has seen mankind marching steadily upwards, towards freedom. . .  
r p m

IT HAS BEEN a long climb through the centuries, and a slow one, but, however, new vistas are already opening before us. . .  
r p m

WE BEGIN TO yearn for peace upon earth and goodwill towards men. Oppression, cruelty and slavery are waning, and now we challenge them; once we did not. . .  
r p m

HOWEVER MEN may dispute about the Fatherhood of God, there are few who now question the brotherhood of man, and admit that we are in truth our brother's keeper. . .  
r p m

IT WILL BE FOR the next generation to put into concrete form the obligations which now everybody is willing to confess, but not everybody to assume. . .  
r p m

THERE IS STILL a great fight ahead. Nothing worthwhile is achieved without effort. . . We are, nevertheless, on the way, and it is a curiously simple way. . .  
r p m

JUST THE GOLDEN Rule applied to world borders: To deal honorably with others; to live and let live; to work, share and grow. . .  
r p m

NEARLY TWO thousand years ago we were told that. In the Lord's Prayer. . . In the Ten Commandments. . . In the Sermon on the Mount. . . They are simple, not difficult reading. . .  
r p m

IT IS TREACHERY, falsity, savagery that are obtuse; archaic, unnatural and fading from the world. . .  
r p m

THE GOODWILL remains. We have God's promise for that. . . "For Thine" is the

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AS we look across the world and see men . . . and women . . . of thirty nations . . . marching, training, fighting on land and sea and air, or building ships, planes, guns and essentials for war—

Not for conquest—

but for freedom and the Christian way of living, wherein with Divine help we may establish

"Peace on earth among men of goodwill." We rejoice . . .

and wish you all

# A MERRY CHRISTMAS

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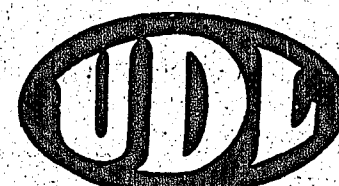
THIS war will be won by the combined efforts, disciplines and sacrifices of millions of individuals like yourself, in Canada as elsewhere.

No matter what restrictions governments may impose, it is still up to the individual—YOU—to maintain strict habits of conservation and self-rationing. This applies to beverages no less than to other commodities.

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In pursuance with the conditions of the Trust Deed dated February 1st, 1929, from the Kelowna Community Hotel Company Limited to their Trustee, Okanagan Loan and Investment Trust Company, notice is hereby given that the following bonds of the above issue have been drawn for redemption, and are called for payment on the First day of February, 1943, at par, plus a premium of 5 per centum (5%).

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Bonds so surrendered for redemption must have coupon No. 29 and all subsequent attached, and should be forwarded for collection to The Royal Bank of Canada, Kelowna B.C., for payment by the Trustee.

No. 3	\$100.00	No. 58	100.00
No. 27	100.00	No. 115	\$ 500.00
No. 32	100.00	No. 165	1,000.00
No. 51	100.00		

Dated at Kelowna, B.C., this tenth day of December, 1942.

**OKANAGAN LOAN & INVESTMENT  
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TRUSTEE  
O. ST. P. AITKENS, Manager

### CHRISTMAS PARTY AT RUTLAND

Schools Present Holiday Entertainment in Rutland Community Hall With All Grades Participating

The annual Christmas concert presented by the pupils of the Rutland Public and High Schools was held in the Rutland Community Hall on Thursday, December 17, and the hall was jammed to capacity with an audience of about four hundred persons, mainly parents and relatives of the children taking part in the program. All twelve grades in the two schools contributed their share. The junior grades concentrated upon drills, Christmas songs and folk dancing, while the older children put on several plays, and the senior girls sang Christmas carols from time to time during the evening, the audience joining in the singing during the intermissions between the various plays.

The whole program showed that the teachers and pupils had worked hard to put on this excellent entertainment. While it is difficult to choose between so many items, the one that drew the most applause was probably the "Rooster Parade" by Grade IV boys. The costumes for this were very effective indeed. During the course of the entertainment Allen Elliot, President of the Students' Council, acted as master of ceremonies and introduced the various performers.

Following is the program in detail: Christmas songs and carols, Girls' Glee Club; Star Drill and songs, Grade I; "Sleigh Bells of Santa Claus," Grade IV; Dance, "Noriu Miego," Folk Dancing Club; Chorus, "The Holidays," Grades II-III; Christmas carols, Grades XI and XII girls; Hungarian Dance, "Czardas," Folk Dancing Club; "I'm a Little Teapot," Grades II-III; Swedish Dance, "Mountain Polka," Folk Dancing Club; Christmas carols, Grades XI and XII girls; Play, "Scutaboon's Dream," Grades V and VI boys; Skit, "Great Caesar," Grades VII and VIII; Christmas carols, Grades XI and XII girls; "Rooster Parade," Grade IV boys; One-act Play, "And the Lamp Went Out," Grade X; Christmas carols, Grades XI and XII girls; Play, "Willie Wildcat," Senior Dramatic Class.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cross left on Friday for Montreal on an extended visit to relatives in the East.

Mrs. Pauline Smith left on Friday by C.P.R. for Calgary, to spend the Christmas holidays with her mother.

Miss Beth Smilie left on Friday by C.N.R. for Abbotsford, in Fraser Valley, to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents.

Mrs. W. Heron, with her daughter Joan, left last week for Calgary, to visit her sister, Mrs. Johnson.

Wireless Air Gunner Clarence (Nipper) Hall is home on leave for the Christmas season, following his graduation from a prairie R.C.A.F. training school.

Alf Berard and Mrs. Berard left on Tuesday for the Coast. Alf is joining the Anti-Aircraft Artillery at the Coast and Mrs. Berard will visit her parents in the United States for a while.

Miss Helen McDougall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. McDougall, is home for the Christmas holidays from Edmonton, where she is attending the University.

**SCREEN WANTED**  
It was father's birthday and mother had bought him a new tie. "I wonder what would go best with it?" she cried cooly as she held it up.  
Father eyed the many-colored horror and replied briefly: "A beard!"

### PUPILS PRESENT ANNUAL XMAS ENTERTAINMENT

Peachland Children Give Delightful Display at Canadian Legion Hall Last Week—Plays Are Feature

The pupils of the Public and High Schools presented a most interesting and enjoyable program at the annual Christmas Tree entertainment held in the Canadian Legion Hall, Peachland, on Wednesday evening, December 16. It was a varied program which appealed to all ages, and the hall was crowded to capacity for the event.

The Primary class presented an original play written by the teacher, Miss Dora Mattice, "Christmas Eve in Santa Land." The intermediates gave a variety of songs, recitations, plays and dances. Mrs. Nelles in charge of the directing and the accompanying, while the Senior part of the program was a play presented by the High School and directed by Mrs. J. K. Treacren.

The Primary play was the hit of the evening, as the little ones took their parts with interest and enthusiasm. The part of Santa was filled by Ronnie Carter, with Heather Eddy in the role of Mrs. Santa, Noel Wilson was the Brownie. The characters of dolls in Santa's workshop were taken as follows: Topsy, Eva Bradbury; Air Force Doll, Verne Ferguson; Eaton's Beauty Doll, Gwen Higgs; Scottish Doll, Dorothy Ann Long; Baby Doll, Marjorie Shaw; Red Cross Doll, Heather McKinnon; Sailor Doll, Murray Dell; Soldier Doll, Ross Eddy; Dutch Doll, Billie Mac Man; Fairy Doll, Clifford Cousins; Shirley Temple Doll, Shirley Bradley; Fairy Doll, Doreen Clements; Jack-in-the-Box, Jimmy Clements. The boys and girls speaking over the television from childland were Betty Smalls, Donald Topham, Pat-sy Brew, Arthur Shaw, Shirley Cousins.

The second part of the program led off with a chorus, "Our Farm," by the whole class, followed by a recitation by Douglas Munro, "Suspenders." A play, "No Presents," had the Longs as Charlie, Gary Stump as Harry, and street urchins Tom, Dick and Billy were played by Gus Sundstrom, Al Trautman and Gail Witt. A song, "Little Mother," was sung by Doreen Trautman, which was followed by a Christmas march by the class. A recitation, "Sales Lure," was given by Olive Shaw, with a Christmas dance by the class, followed by a tableau, "The Gift," was accompanied with a song by Betty Manning.

A play, "Jimmy's Unlucky Morning," had Ronald Sundstrom as Mr. Jones, Beatrice Cousins as Mrs. Jones, with Margaret Long as Jane and Gary Topham as Jimmy. A tableau, "The Spirit of Christmas," showed Barbara Topham, with the verse sung by Elsie Bradford. A chorus by the whole of the Elementary School, "Joy Bells," completed this part of the program.

The play, "Ringing Bells," with Mrs. J. K. Treacren as director and Dorothy Miller as prompter, was presented by the Senior girls, with the leading roles taken by Rosemary Wilson as Carol Whyte and Glendon Ferguson as Jimmy Lambert. Mona Roberts played Georgina Moore and Noreen Gummow as Madge Ray. Supporting roles were taken by Catherine, Audrey and Helen Long, Betty Treacren, Ruth Fulk, Vahdah Stump and Helen Sundstrom.

Following the program, the long-awaited event of the evening arrived when Santa Claus appeared and distributed presents to the younger members of the audience. D. Miller, chairman of the Christmas Tree Committee, thanked the teachers, Mr. Treacren, Mrs. Wells, Miss Mattice and Mrs. Treacren, for the work entailed in presenting such a fine program. Mrs. Miller was assisted in decorating the Christmas tree and in preparing the bags of candy by Mrs. A. Ruffie, Mrs. Ted Topham and Mrs. H. Ibbotson.

and Mrs. H. Ibbotson.

Mrs. W. E. Clements arrived back recently with her daughter Donna, after four months spent in Eastern Canada with her husband, Sgt. Observer Clements. She received word this week that her husband has arrived safely in England.

Fred Mills graduated recently as a navigator in the R.C.A.F. and has received his commission as Pilot Officer.

Pte. Tony Coldham left on Thursday for Eastern Canada, after spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Coldham.

Lee-Corp. Warren Cousins, with his mother, Mrs. I. Cousins, arrived Sunday, December 13, to spend the Christmas holidays in Peachland. Mrs. Cousins, the mother of nine sons who made up the famous Cousins baseball team, now has five sons in the services. Warren and Aylmer are with the R.C.A. and Irvine with the R.C.A.F. at Edmonton. Gordon and Harold are also on active service.

J. Cameron left on Saturday, December 12, for a trip to Alberta to visit his parents.

Miss Dora Mattice left on Friday for her home at Keremeos.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Oakley, of Trepanier, left on Friday, December 18, to make their home in Kelowna, after disposing of their property to Mr. Johnson, of Summerland.

Sergt. Navigator Donald Miller arrived Sunday, December 20, to spend the holiday season with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinchin.

P. Hickling left on Friday, December 18, for the Cariboo, where he will spend the holiday season with his daughter.

Miss Myrtle Kinchin arrived home on Saturday from Gilpin, B. C., to spend the holiday season with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinchin.

Plans for a Robby Burns supper were made by the Women's Institute at their meeting held in the Municipal Hall on Friday, December 11. The proceeds of the evening on January 25 will be used to purchase a Victory Bond. Mrs. T. Twinn was appointed convenor for the supper and Mrs. G. Watt for the entertainment.

**First Air Mail Letter**  
Sent to Benjamin Franklin when he was in France in 1785, the first air mail letter was carried across the English Channel by balloon.

## A Merry Christmas

Dear Friends:

One of the finest things in life as we see it, is the spirit of friendship which underlies our relations with each other. Without friends, particularly in these times of war when there is so much sorrow, life would indeed be an empty shell.

As in our personal lives so is it in our business lives. With an understanding such as is born of true friendship, our business relations with our fellow man tend to become warm and cordial.

So at this time we wish to tell you we have appreciated your loyalty and confidence in us.

In token of our genuine appreciation we extend sincere wishes that you may enjoy a truly MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY AND MOST PEACEFUL NEW YEAR.

Sincerely yours,

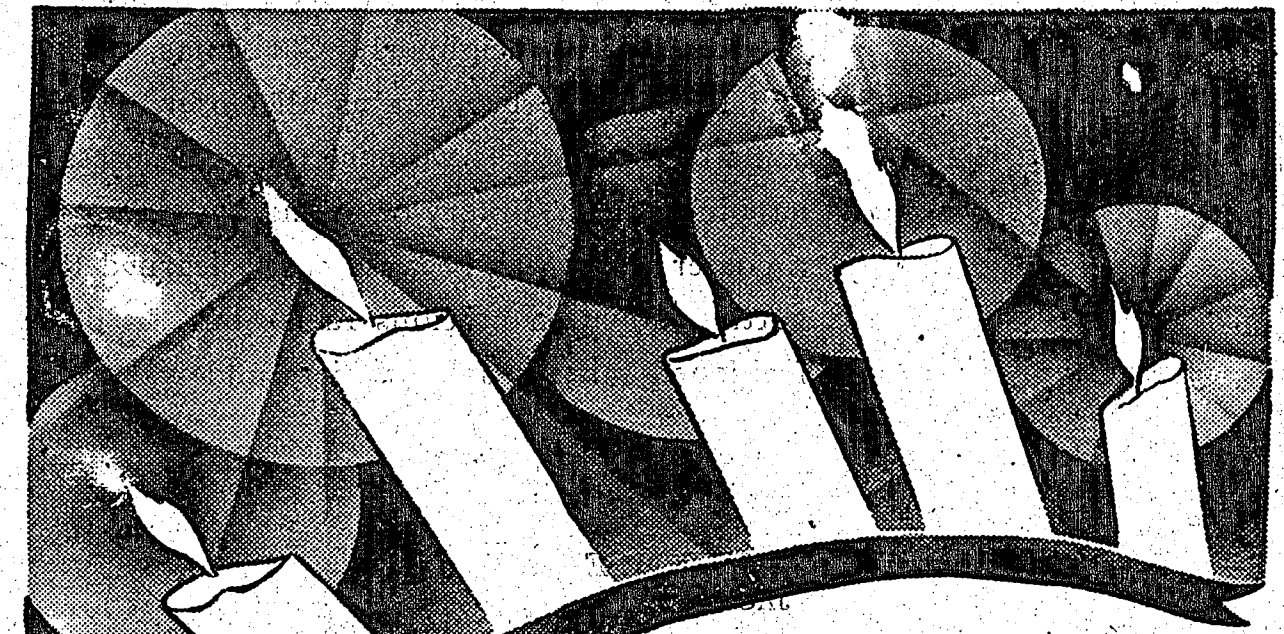
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VERNE CHAPMAN  
LARRY CARSCADDEN  
ART EYRE  
HERB DEMARA  
LAWRENCE WALROD

**SPEED**  
Father had been telling his little son that the sun is over ninety million miles away from the earth. "Well, then," said Willie, "I would morning without travelling all night."



## Steady Burns the CANDLE BRIGHT

We who have seen the dark mantle of despotism spread itself over great areas of the world have much to be thankful for this Christmas Season.

The light of freedom and knowledge burns steady for us and so long as it does our children and our children's children will say 'as we say now . . . MERRY CHRISTMAS and confidence for the future.

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## Despite The World's Troubles, It's Still An Old-Fashioned CHRISTMAS

**R**ICH succulence of roast turkey and mince pie . . . sleigh rides in the crisp air . . . fruit cake and egg nog and cider for neighbors dropping in . . . an open fire to steal the chill from hours on the skating pond . . . music in the light of the Christmas Tree . . . these are the traditions of a real Canadian Christmas—old as great-grandmother, new as priorities.

**I**T'S GOING to be an old-fashioned Christmas this year, a Christmas that will take on deeper meaning than ever in the shadow of more than three years of War. It will be a friendlier, more neighborly Christmas, because shared troubles and labors have brought us all closer. We'll be doing without some of the luxuries we once thought necessary, and find greater happiness in the luxury of giving and doing for others. It will be a colder Christmas because we've learned the wartime lesson of cutting down on precious fuels—but we'll be warm with old-fashioned mittens and mufflers and warm with Christmas spirit

as deep as the heart! It will be a colorful Christmas because we're learning how heart-lifting are bright colors in simple things like apples and firelight and gay ribbons! It will be a brave Christmas, too. Loved ones missing from their usual places in the family circle will only make us stronger in our determination to preserve the Christmas spirit of brotherhood and peace for which they are fighting. . . . Our thoughts will join theirs as we pledge, on our fourth wartime Christmas, renewed efforts to speed the day of Victory when they will come home to spend all future Christmases with us in the land of the free!

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### Merry Christmas

FROM THE

STAFF OF THE KELOWNA COURIER

With these age-old greetings of the season we add the sincere wish that you and our large family of friends may enjoy prosperity, good health and victory in the coming year.

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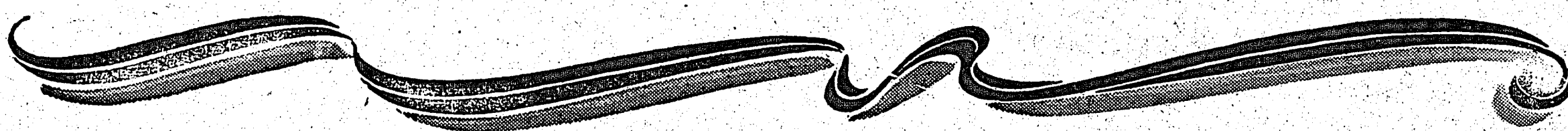
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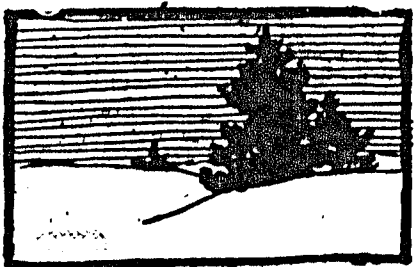
## JOY TO ALL . . .

May the spirit of the first Christmas enter all our hearts now and throughout the coming year.

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS  
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HAPPY NEW YEAR

to all our customers and friends and extend an invitation to the public to call in at your local florist any time during 1943. You are welcome at the

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## XMAS PARTY AT OKAN. CENTRE

Pleasing Program of Music and Dialogue Presented by Pupils at the Community Hall

The annual Christmas community party arranged by the Okanagan Centre Women's Institute was held on Thursday afternoon, December 17, at the Centre Community Hall. All of the school pupils and most of the adults and pre-school age children were present and a pleasant time was had by all.

Under the direction of Miss Watt, with the assistance of Mrs. Parker at the piano and A. T. Kobayashi, saxophone, a pleasing program of dialogue, recitations and songs was given by the school pupils.

An unusual and interesting number was a shadowgraph illustrating the poem "Hilawatha," which was read by Karleen Hare, while at intervals the "Indian Love Song" on the saxophone was heard.

After the singing by the school of several songs, appropriate to the season and the National Anthem, the young people played games until tea was served. The children sat at the tables which filled the annex, while the adults were served from a large table in the main auditorium by several of the young matrons, Mrs. Jeglum pouring, while Mrs. F. Parker and Mrs. Reddick acted as servers.

Father Christmas arrived with his pack, and all gathered around a splendid tree, when each child received a treat of oranges and candy and a present.

Miss Welch left on Friday for Kamloops, where she will pay a fortnight's visit to friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich and little daughter Hazel, started on Saturday to Kipling, Sask., to spend the holidays with relatives.

The Junior Red Cross sale, held at the school on Wednesday last, was well attended, and the children, who had worked hard under the direction of the teacher, Miss Watt, making the articles for sale, were well pleased with the results, a sum of \$7.00 being realized.

T. Cooney left the first of last week for a holiday in Vancouver.

Miss Ruth Nuyens came home on Saturday from Vernon, where she is attending High School, and Miss Patricia Chiesman is home from St. Ann's Academy in Kamloops for the holidays with her parents.

Miss Watt left on Friday for her home in Kamloops.

Miss Doris Gledhill is at home from Kelowna for the holidays.

Pte. Pamela B. Hickman, 29th Company, C.W.A.C., arrived in Kelowna on Tuesday to spend her Christmas leave visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hickman, Bankhead. Also visiting the Hickmans is Pte. F. J. Coe, who is their son-in-law. Pte. Coe is stationed at Vernon.

Lieut. Harry Webb and Mrs. Webb, Victoria, arrived in Kelowna this week to spend two weeks leave as the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Lyons. They will return to Victoria at the first of the year. L.A.C. Eric Lyons, R.C.A.F., Edmonton, will arrive in Kelowna on December 30, to be the guest of his parents over the New Year holiday.

## REDS TAKE MEDS. IN SMART WIN

Ryan Only Gets Two Points and Turk Held Down by Tostenson—Kids Take Overtime Tilt From W.L.I. in Preliminary Battle

Kelowna Reds had a nice workout last Saturday night at the Kelowna Scout Hall, when they took the Vernon "Reds" into camp 37-22 in a preliminary battle.

The soldier boys were handicapped by the fact that they fielded scratch teams, a second Army team playing in a preliminary against Kelowna Intermediate "B" kids and losing in overtime 24-23. The Reds also were short-handed, as Macdonald helped out the kids in the preliminary game.

In the first contest Ryan and Turk were again on hand to give the R.C.A.M.C. a boost, but they didn't shine so brightly in a strange case. Ryan, "Red" was held to one basket and Tostenson held the slippery Turk to three, and "Fadaway" didn't like it a bit.

For the Reds, Tostenson led the attack with some nice shooting and chalked up 10 points in a smart display. He was ably assisted by Colin Brown, who took time off from defensive duties to slip in four baskets.

The teams were deadlocked 12-12 at the half, but in the second stanza Conway and Brown started to roll and the issue was never in doubt from then. Tostenson spared enough time from watching Turk to slip in four points but did most of his damage in the first canto, and his feat of outscoring Turk 10-6 was really something.

Reds used Capozzi, of Vancouver College, who is home for the holidays, and he did a good job and chalked up four useful points. An effort is being made to get the College up here over the holidays and, if they come, a battle royal should develop.

In the preliminary, the early crowd saw a nip and tuck fight with the erstwhile Juniors, now playing Intermediate "B," ending out the Wainwright Light Infantry in a one-point overtime win. Ciancone led the attack for the youngsters and was a big help. Derry starred for the Peg team with 11 points.

Teams

Kelowna Reds: Saucer (8), Conway (9), Tostenson (10), Brown (8), Capozzi (4), Bogress Total, 37.

R.C.A.M.C.: Ryan (2), Hankin, Turk (6), Barnett (4), Moran (2), Buch (2), Brown (2), Total, 22.

Kelowna Intermediate "B": Macdonald (5), Shugg (4), Yoshio-kai, Yamamoto, Karooa (2), Stewart, Harding, Ciancone (8), Leckie (5), Total, 24.

W.L.I.: Scanlon (2), Derry (11), Shutylo (4), Ball (4), Kahnik (2), Longodis, Lovitt, Total, 23.

Referee: George McKay.

## OKANAGAN MISSION

Lieut. G. Goldsmith, R.C.N.V.R., arrived at his home in the Mission yesterday to spend Christmas leave with his family.

Pte. Isobel Wadsworth, C.W.A.C., arrived at her home on leave yesterday from Vancouver.

Pte. Pamela Marshall, C.W.A.C., will arrive at her home in the Mission on Christmas leave Thursday, from Vermilion.

The weaving classes which have been held at Mrs. Otmars, under the instruction of Mrs. Wubbe, were completed last Monday.

Miss Barbara Baillie left for Vancouver Island last Saturday.

The Okanagan Mission School concert was held last Thursday in the Schoolhouse. The program included solo violin pieces, tap dancing and some plays.

P.C.M.R.

There was a good turnout last Sunday when there was target practice with the Sten gun.

All parades as previously announced have been cancelled.

The next parade will be held at the Community Hall at 8 p.m., Tuesday, January 5, 1943. All ranks to parade.

Wednesday, January 6. Signallers parade 8 p.m.

(Signed) A. M. THOMPSON, Detachment Commander.

The Cubs finished their meetings for 1942 with a Christmas party last Wednesday. Each Cub was allowed to bring a friend to the party.

## PERMIT FOR BUDDHIST HALL

The temporary permit for light and water granted to Japanese by the Kelowna City Council applied to the Buddhist Hall on Borden Avenue and not to the Japanese Christian Mission Church. In last week's story the Borden Avenue address was not given and some readers may have thought that it applied to the Christian church.

Sgt. Harold Henderson, C.D.C., Vernon, and Mrs. Henderson are in Kelowna for the Christmas holidays.

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## GIRL GUIDE NOTES

1st Kelowna Girl Guide Company

Next Rally, January 4, 1943, in the Scout Hall, at 7:00 p.m. Orderly Patrol, Larks.

Guide Law No. 4, "A Guide is a friend to all and a sister to every other Guide," was chosen as the one for special observance during the holidays. Three Patrols have not as yet handed in their orderly cards.

Attendance at last Rally was not as good as usual, but we were pleased at the number present because they had an opportunity to see the layette for the Countess of Bessborough's competition which we had on display. There are still three garments to be handed in to complete the number required as per list. These must be on hand before Saturday, when the parcel has to be sent to Headquarters. We hope will be awarded good marks.

Recruit Ruth Ashton was enrolled, and we concluded the Rally with some marching.

The Inter-Patrol Cup which has been competed for since last July has been awarded to the Bluebird Patrol, P.L. Jane Weddell, with a big lead of 700 points. They tied with the Larks for the previous six months too. Well done! Bluebirds. The standing of other Patrols is as follows: Hummingbirds, 690; Orioles, 642; Larks, 634; Canaries, 615, and Nightingales, 576. The cup will be presented at the next Rally, when the competition recommences and the cup will be awarded again next June. So attend to your uniforms, attendances, behavior, orderly duties, and be on time, to gain points for your Patrols as well as passing tests.

The Brownie Pack will not meet again until January 5, 1943.

## KELOWNA SEA CADET CORPS

"Granville"

Orders for week:

Duty Division: Forecastle.

The Corps will parade on Monday and Tuesday, at 19:15 hours.

A most enjoyable evening was spent on Thursday last in the Armory, when the Corps was entertained at a Ban Feast generously given by the Committee.

On Monday night, Lieut. Tate, R.C.N.R., was a visitor at the parade.

Cadet Lieut. Charman was the recipient of a Christmas gift, a fountain pen, donated by the officers, N.C.O.s and Cadets.

## A JOYOUS CHRISTMAS TO ALL . . .

is the sincere wish of the Management and Staff of the

TERMINAL LUNCH  
(Bus Depot)

More About

1 R. P. M.

From Page 2, Column 3  
Kingdom, the Power and the Glory, forever.

r p m  
There is a serenity to which mankind can aspire that even wars cannot shake and no outer enemy invade.

r p m  
And tomorrow His Son was born. It will be Christmas Day. . . . The Magi still follow the guiding star. Its light will not fail. . . . It is the Light Eternal.

r p m  
A Merry Christmas to you . . . and keep up your heart.

## NEW YEAR'S EVE

## Frolic

## ODDFELLOWS' HALL

PRIZES—War Savings Certificates.

Dancing, 10 to ?

Check Room, 10c

ADMISSION, 75c each



ONCE a year it is good to hesitate at the crossroads . . . to look back over the road we have travelled . . . to re-establish our sense of direction . . . so that we may, with courage, continue toward our appointed destination. Because business is high-g geared, it oftentimes moves too fast for sentiment. Therefore, we welcome this brief pause . . . it provides retrospection of pleasant, happy hours . . . of work, of laughter, and play during the past twelve months. It gives us an opportunity to thank you for your friendship.

And so . . . as we celebrate the Christmas season and approach another year . . . with renewed hopes, and visions of better things ahead . . . may all of them be yours . . . may you enjoy throughout 1943 the fullest measure of Health, Happiness, Prosperity and Peace.

THE MANAGEMENT AND STAFF OF THE

## K. G. E.

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ONCE again the bright star in the Eastern sky shines down upon a world at war . . . a world in which many, with loved ones away, some never to return, find it hard to say "Peace on Earth, Goodwill toward men."

Yet shall we allow barbaric enemies to banish this thought from our hearts? . . . Better that we listen to the echo saying "fear not; for behold I bring you tidings of great joy," and even as the wise men of the East offered treasure to the Christ child, let us offer the gifts of cheerfulness and courage to the righteous cause of saving our children and protecting their future.

With sincere gratitude for the co-operation extended during the past season, the fruit growers of British Columbia extend to their friends Christmas Greetings with the hope and belief that each day in the coming year will bring us closer to Victory and lasting Peace on Earth and Goodwill toward men.

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Heep on more wood, the wind is chilly, But let it whistle as it will— We'll keep our Xmas merry still . . . Walter Scott

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Cpl. Felix Sutton, of Basic Training Centre 110, is home for his Christmas holiday and has as his guest Pte. G. Wardle, of Wellington, N.Z. Wardle was with the merchant marine and transferred to J. S. Somerville, of Jamaica, and the Canadian Army a few weeks ago. It is his first experience of a Canadian winter and he is not wildy enthusiastic. He is not anticipating the winter training in other parts of the country, if the Okanagan is called the "banana belt." Of the seven men quartered in Cpl. Sutton's hut, all had places to go for Christmas. Wardle is expected to be home for a few days.

## LONDON PAPER COMMENTS ON LOCAL MAN

Daily Mail Speaks Highly of Campbell Moodie

An interesting bit about Campbell Moodie, son of Lt.-Col. W. H. Moodie, of East Kelowna, appeared in the October 26th issue of the London, England, Daily Mail. Mr. Moodie is the London representative of the Canadian War Information Board, and recently spent a few days in Kelowna while on leave.

R. L. Dalglish, a Courier subscriber, who now resides at Budleigh Salterton, Devon, Eng., when renewing his subscription, enclosed the following clipping:

In its column, "London Day by Day," the Daily Mail said:

"Capt. Campbell Moodie, tall, popular, young, and the senior member of Mr. Vincent Massey's staff at Canada House, will be missed when he leaves shortly on a flying visit to Ottawa for conversations with Mr. Charles Vinling, head of Canada's War Information Board."

"Before the war he was working for the Bank of Montreal in New York. Previous to that he was in Washington. Nevertheless he considers that the keypoint of world diplomacy and post-war development lies in London."

"He came here as a captain in the Canadian Army in 1941. Mr. Massey, who now refers to him as 'my right hand man,' persuaded him to give up on Army career in order to help him at Canada House."

"His success in his new job is due to his quick grasp of essential details, coupled with a natural charm of manner and the ability to put the Canadian view on any question cogently and succinctly."

"A hundred per cent Canadian, he likes to talk about his Scottish ancestry. His father went to the South African War with the Canadian contingent, accompanied by his great friend Campbell. The night before Spion Kop they agreed that their first-born sons, if ever they had any, would be Campbell Moodie and

## INDIANS GUILTY OF ASSAULT

J. McDougall and W. P. Riley, of Westbank, Get Hard Labor for Wife Beating

J. McDougall and W. P. Riley, Westbank Indians, were found guilty of wife beating when they appeared before Stipendiary Magistrate McWilliams in district police court. McDougall was sentenced to three months hard labor and Riley received six months. The Riley case produced evidence of severe injuries received during the assault.

J. J. Prior and P. Shaug were fined \$5 and \$25 respectively on charges of intoxication, and D. Swite was fined \$10 under the Indian Act.

Louise Dibala, charged with supplying liquor to an Indian was fined \$150 or two months by Magistrate McWilliams. She took the two months and is now in Okauch.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whillies have their son, O. B. H. G. Whillies, R.C.N.V.R., as their guest for the next month. O. S. Whillies has been a patient in the Shaughnessy Hospital for the past few months.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Carruthers expect their youngest son, Lieut. Colin Carruthers, R.C.N.V.R., will be home sometime during the holiday season on leave.

Capt. Guy Delfart and Mrs. DeHart, Vernon, are expected to spend the New Year week-end in Kelowna, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman DeHart, Lake Avenue.

Sgt. Bob Parfitt, who is with an anti-aircraft battery stationed at the Coast, is in Kelowna for the Christmas holiday.

Moodie Campbell, and each would act as godfather to the other's boy. "Their hopes were fulfilled. Somewhere in the Scottish forces there is a Moodie Campbell, whose opposite number is looking forward to meeting him."

"When he does get a day off, Capt. Moodie likes to have a gallop over the Epsom Downs."

## EAST KELOWNA HELD CONCERT LAST THURSDAY

School Entertainment in Community Hall is Well Attended With Excellent Program

The annual school concert was held in the East Kelowna Community Hall on Thursday, December 17, with a very good attendance. After "O Canada" was sung, Gerald Elvedahl welcomed every one with a poem. The Junior Rhythm Band then played "Rock the Hall" and "Scouts on Parade." Betty Elvedahl was next on the program telling about "Santa's Helpers." Donald Dyson led the group for a finger play, "Eight Little Reindeer." Barbara Bailey and Larry Hewitt each said a little Christmas piece, and the Juniors sang "Santa Claus is Coming to Town."

The next item was "When the Clock Strikes Twelve on Christmas Eve" and the boys all came to life and dance and sing. June Perry and Sally Turlon were two very pretty French dolls. Teddy Johnson recited "Santa's Flight," and Barry Olson told us all about "The Arrest." The Seniors then sang "Silent Night." Eileen Graham played two beautiful numbers which the audience enjoyed very much. A short play, entitled "Meet the Countess," was very well acted. The Senior class sang "Waltzing Matilda," "Captains of the Clouds," and "Rolling Along." During the concert, little Barbara Bailey rode on to the stage on a tricycle.

"Wildcat Willie" was presented next and the children acted very well. The concert closed with all pupils singing "White Christmas" and "Land of Hope and Glory."

Lance-Corp. R. Johnson is home on leave for the holidays with his family.

Ernest Blackburne is home on leave, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Blackburne.

## VERNON BIKE DEALER GUILTY

An appeal of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board in a price ceiling case was allowed by Judge Archibald, of the County Court, at Vernon, and the defendant, John Gagne, was given six months' suspended sentence.

Gagne, who operates a garage and bicycle repair shop at Vernon, was charged with selling a second-hand bicycle at a "price higher than reasonable or just." The Board claimed that he charged as much for the second-hand machine as for a new one.

When the case came before Magistrate Morley, in the Vernon Police Court, it was dismissed, so the Board appealed and won in the higher court. C. W. Morrow appeared for the Board and C. W. Brazier, enforcement counsel of the B. C. regional office at Vancouver, was also in court.

This is the second appeal the W.P.T.B. has won in recent days. The other resulted in conviction of the Victoria Tug Company, Ltd., on a charge of unlawfully increasing the charges for towing coal between Nanaimo and Victoria.

**OPIUM CHARGE DISMISSED**  
Charges against Chen Sing and Lee Hui for possession of opium in the form of dried poppy heads were dismissed on Wednesday by Stipendiary Magistrate T. F. McWilliams.

Also coming from Saskatoon will be A.C.2 Hugh Shirreff, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Shirreff, who will spend New Year's leave here.

Pte. G. E. Elliott, R.C.A.M.C., Vernon, is spending the Christmas leave visiting at his home here.

Gnr. G. H. Phillips arrived in Kelowna on Tuesday from Esquimalt to spend the Christmas holidays visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Phillips.

Capt. Alwyn Weddell, R.M.R., Kamloops, arrives in Kelowna this week to spend his Christmas leave at his home here.

Bdr. A. J. Robertson, who is stationed at Esquimalt, arrived in Kelowna on Wednesday to spend Christmas with his wife and family.

2nd Lieut. Peter Murdoch, Vernon, anti-aircraft battery at the Coast, Basic Training Centre, is in Kelowna this week for the Christmas week-end.



**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

**LET THE JOYOUS BELLS RING!**

PASSING years bring no greater pleasure than the age-old custom of sending holiday greetings to our friends... so we are very happy to send you the greetings of the season, with our sincere wishes for your happiness and success throughout the coming year.

THE MANAGEMENT AND STAFF OF  
*Fumerton's Limited*

*Good things ARE SOMETIMES HARD TO BUY*

The popularity of Neilson's Chocolate Bars plus wartime rationing makes it difficult at times for you to buy your favorite Neilson Bar.

Please don't blame the dealer as he is doing his best and you will be helping him if you choose any of the other Neilson Bars he has for you.



**Neilson's**

Neilson's Chocolate Bars are energy builders, made with the highest quality ingredients.



The Members and Staff of the **BRITISH COLUMBIA FRUIT BOARD**

extend their wishes for a **HAPPY CHRISTMASTIDE** and may we all face the New Year with courage and confidence.

FOR EXCELLENT JOB PRINTING SEE THE COURIER

Ottawa, December 21, 1942

**EFFECTIVE NOW**

**BUTTER**

**is rationed by coupon**

**The ration is one-half pound of butter per person, per week**

On and after December 21st it is unlawful to sell or buy butter at retail without the surrender of the proper coupons.

Brown Coupons, Nos. 1 to 11, "Spare 'C'" from Ration Book No. 1 now in the hands of the public, are to be used for this purpose.

Each Brown coupon, Nos. 1 to 11, "Spare 'C'" entitles the holder to buy one week's supply. Only Brown coupons, Nos. 1 to 11 "Spare 'C'" can be used for the purchase of butter.

Each coupon becomes good on a definite date and expires on a definite date... and can be used only within its prescribed period as given below.

The system for butter is different from that applying to Tea, Coffee and Sugar, where coupons have no specified expiry date.

**Dates When Butter Coupons Become Usable—and Expire**

Coupon Number	Good for Purchase beginning on	Not Good for Purchase After
1	December 21	January 3
2	December 28	January 3
3 and 4	January 4	January 17
5 and 6	January 18	January 31
7 and 8	February 1	February 14
9 and 10	February 15	February 28
11	March 1	March 14

NOTE: Brown Coupon No. 2, "Spare 'C'" will be good for use only during a 7-day period—December 28 to January 3. Brown Coupons Nos. 1, and 3 to 11, "Spare 'C'", can be used within 2-week periods.

Coupons for butter, like those for Sugar, Coffee and Tea (the red and green coupons) must be detached by, or in the presence of any seller of butter or his employee.

If desired, consumers may lodge their butter coupon sheets with their retailers, so that the latter may detach the required coupons when delivering.

**Temporary Ration Cards**

All Brown Coupons on Temporary Ration Cards issued to members of the armed forces on leave, visitors to Canada, etc., are good after December 21.

**Butter Holdings Exceeding More Than One Pound per Person Must Be Reported and Coupons Surrendered**

Consumers or non-registered boarding houses having in their possession the equivalent of more than one pound of butter for each person in the household, must before January 3, 1943, report their holdings to the nearest office of this Board. They must forward with their reports the number of butter coupons representing their butter holdings. If the quantity of butter in possession of such persons represents more than the eleven Brown coupons in Ration Book No. 1, which will be good for butter, they must in their reports undertake to detach from future ration books, additional butter coupons equal to the remainder of the surplus.

**Special Notice To Retailers**

On and after December 28, retailers must establish their right to purchase new supplies of butter from their suppliers by turning over to the supplier currently valid ration coupons equivalent to the poundage of butter ordered from the supplier. A Bulletin giving instructions to retailers has been mailed to reach you today. Please watch for it.

**THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD**

THERE ARE HEAVY PENALTIES FOR BREAKING THESE REGULATIONS

**BROWN'S PHARMACY LTD.**

For Health's Sake Have Your Prescription Dispensed Here

**CHRISTMAS GREETINGS**

At this time we would like to thank our many friends for their past patronage and to wish all a

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

**For Your Air Raid Kit!**

**'DETTOL'**

HE MODERN ANTISEPTIC

for instant application to all OPEN WOUNDS CUTS • SCRATCHES ABRASIONS

Kills Germs Fast Does Not Hurt Non-poisonous Non-staining

50c bottle



**NEO CHEMICAL FOOD**

YOUR CHILD NEEDS FOR HEALTH

NEO CHEMICAL FOOD SUPPLEMENT

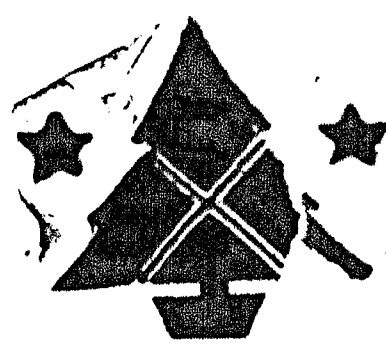
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**HOLIDAY HOURS—** Christmas Day, 4 to 5 p.m.  
Boxing Day, 10 to 11 a.m., 7 to 8 p.m.  
Sunday, 4 to 5.30 p.m.

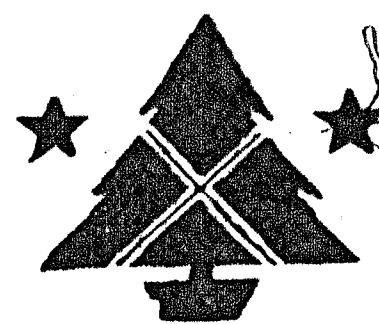








# Merry Christmas



ED. SCOTT  
Body and Fender  
Repairs  
wishes one and all  
A  
**MERRY, MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**

SMITH  
The Tailor  
wishes all his Friends  
and Customers a  
**MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**HAPPY  
NEW YEAR**

SEASON'S  
GREETINGS  
to our many friends  
and customers.  
**OLD COUNTRY  
BARBER SHOP**



A. L. PATTERSON  
General Contractor

A  
**MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**HAPPY  
NEW YEAR**

May your Christmas  
be joyful and the New  
Year bring you Peace  
and Happiness.



**ARTS  
PHOTO  
STUDIO**

wish their many  
Friends and  
Customers

A  
**MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**HAPPY  
NEW YEAR**

We sincerely thank you  
for your past  
patronage.

♥ ♥ ♥  
GREETINGS

**UNION OIL CO. of CANADA, LTD.**

Jack Ward, Local Manager  
wishes all its customers and friends

A **JOYFUL CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR**

♥ ♥ ♥

THE  
**WINFIELD GENERAL STORE**  
Winfield, B.C.

Takes this occasion to wish its many  
friends and customers, a

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**BRIGHT, HAPPY NEW YEAR**

**GOOD HEALTH, HAPPINESS  
AND PROSPERITY**

♥ ♥ ♥

**MAY** these be yours throughout the  
Festive Season and 1943.  
**Merry Christmas To All!**

♥ ♥ ♥

**POOLE'S BAKERY**  
Phone 703-R

THE  
**INDEPENDENT HARDWARE**

Percy Harding, Prop.  
wish their many friends and customers

A  
**MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**HAPPY NEW YEAR**



The Management and Staff  
of

**CHAPIN'S CAFE**

wish their many friends and customers

A  
**VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**HAPPY NEW YEAR**



**H. C. CRETIN GARAGE**  
Richter Street Kelowna, B.C.

OUR  
SINCERE  
WISH  
TO YOU

is a  
**VERY MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**

and a

**HAPPY NEW YEAR**

♥ ♥ ♥

**CHRISTMAS GREETINGS**

**WHEN** the Christmas day dawns, may  
it prove to be the Jolliest and  
Happiest you have ever  
had.

♥ ♥ ♥

**DORE & RYAN**  
General Contractors

♥ ♥ ♥

THE  
**HI-WAY SERVICE STATION**  
Corner Bernard Ave. and Vernon Rd.

Hearty wishes for a  
**VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**BRIGHT NEW YEAR**

We sincerely thank you for  
your past patronage.

♥ ♥ ♥

Our Best Wishes  
for a

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

The Management and Staff  
of the

**ROYAL ANNE HOTEL**  
J. H. Broad, Manager

♥ ♥ ♥



**MAY** this Christmas Season bring  
you Health, Happiness and  
Good Fortune.

♥ ♥ ♥

**CAMPBELL'S BICYCLE SHOP**  
Abbott Street Kelowna, B.C.



**MAY EVERY GOOD WISH  
COME TRUE**

In grateful appreciation of your patronage,  
we offer you our sincere best wishes for

A **MERRY CHRISTMAS!**

♥ ♥ ♥

The Management and Staff  
of  
**THE KELOWNA SAWMILL CO., LTD.**

♥ ♥ ♥

**TUTT'S TAILOR SHOP**

wishes one and all

A  
**VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS**

May the season be gay and  
happy for you.

♥ ♥ ♥

♥ ♥ ♥

**J. R. CAMPBELL**  
Phone 107

**MAY EVERY GOOD  
WISH COME TRUE**

**I**n grateful appreciation of your patronage  
we offer our sincere best wishes for  
one and all,

A **MERRY CHRISTMAS**

♥ ♥ ♥

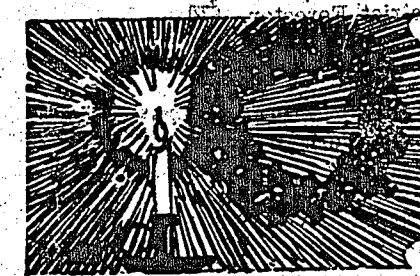
**H. M. SPARKS THE CLEANER**

♥ ♥ ♥

**I**n true Christmas Spirit we extend to  
you our appreciation for your generous  
patronage and wish you

A **VERY HAPPY CHRISTMAS**

♥ ♥ ♥



♥ ♥ ♥

**WHEN** the Christmas Day dawns,  
may it prove to be the Jolliest  
and Happiest you have ever had and  
may the New Year bring Happiness  
to all.

♥ ♥ ♥

**CASCADE CO-OPERATIVE  
UNION**



**IN  
SINCERE  
CHRISTMAS  
SPIRIT**

we send to you the  
Season's Happy  
Greetings:

"Peace on Earth,  
Goodwill Towards  
Men."

♥

**CAPITOL  
CIGAR STORE**  
Kelowna, B.C.



**CHRISTMAS GREETINGS**

♥ ♥ ♥

If all the good wishes in the world were  
put together, they would express our  
Christmas Greetings to you.

The Management and Staff  
of the

**KELOWNA 5c TO \$1.00 STORE**



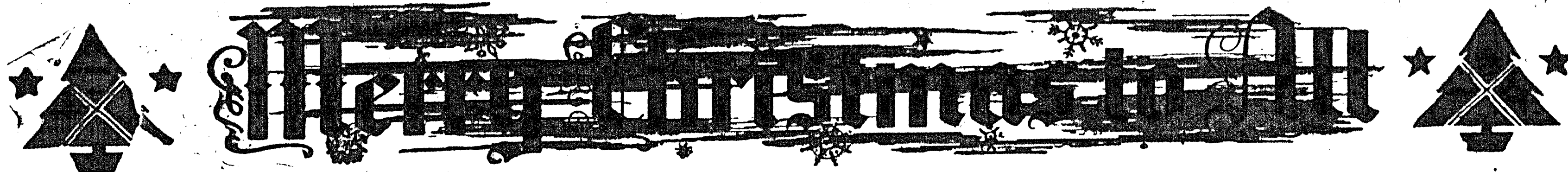
**MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**

May this Happy  
Season bring our  
Customers and  
Friends, Joy and  
Happiness.

♥

**PETTIGREW**  
Jeweller





**A  
MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**

May this Christmas  
Season bring you  
Joy and Happiness.

**A & B MEAT  
MARKET**

**TUTT'S DAIRY**  
Kelowna, B.C.

**T**AKES this opportunity to thank you  
for your past patronage and to  
wish you one and all a

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**HAPPY NEW YEAR**

**MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS**

**P**LEASE accept our Greeting and let  
us sincerely thank you for your  
pleasant patronage.

**BLUE BIRD STYLE SHOP**  
Lawrence Ave.

**IF—**

All the good wishes in the world  
were put together, they would  
express our Christmas Greeting  
to you.

**McTAVISH, WHILLIS & GADDES, LTD.**  
Real Estate—Insurance

**R. B. NUNN**  
The Exchange Store

Extends Best  
Wishes to all  
for a

**VERY  
JOYFUL  
CHRISTMAS**

**LEONE'S  
BEAUTY  
BOOTH**

Leonie Sargenia  
wishes her many friends  
and customers

**A  
VERY  
MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**

**O. L. JONES FURNITURE  
CO., LTD.**

Just a simple greeting,  
But it's laden down with cheer,  
For a good old-fashioned Christmas,  
And a mighty glad New Year.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

to our Friends and customers.

Best of Luck!  
Best of Health!  
Best of Everything!

This is the sincere wish of

**THE  
ROYAL ANNE BEAUTY SALON**

**MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Please accept our greeting and  
let us sincerely thank you for  
your pleasant patronage.

**ALICE'S BEAUTY SHOP**

**C. W. COPE**

Electrical Contractor  
wishes his many  
Friends and  
Customers

**A  
MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**HAPPY  
NEW YEAR**

**GREETINGS !**

Our wish for you  
is that Christmas  
Day will bring  
you Joy and  
Happiness.

**JENKINS CO.  
Ltd.**  
Phone 20

**A**T this joyous season, to all the  
business men and other resi-  
dents of the Kelowna District,  
we extend sincere wishes for a  
Happy Christmas and the hope  
that the coming year may bring  
increasing prosperity and happi-  
ness.

**KELOWNA BOARD OF TRADE**

**A HEARTY CHRISTMAS !**

**A**S gay as Holly—  
As Bright as Ribbon—  
May everything good be  
Yours this Christmas.

**E. M. CARRUTHERS & SON, LTD.**  
Phone 127 Bernard Ave.

**F**OR this Christmas Season, and  
those to follow, we wish you  
all that is good and worthwhile.

**MAY YOUR HOLIDAY BE  
GAY AND JOYFUL**

**DAY'S FUNERAL SERVICE**

**MERRY  
CHRISTMAS  
FOLKS !**

and a

**HAPPY  
NEW  
YEAR !**

**J. D. JOYAL**  
Shoe Repairer  
Water St. Kelowna

**BERT MUSSATTO**  
Shoe Repairing and  
Orthopedic Specialist  
wishes you one and  
all a

**VERY  
MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**HAPPY  
NEW YEAR**

Don't delay if you suffer  
from a pain in the leg or  
foot. See us immediately

**IN TRUE CHRISTMAS  
SPIRIT....**

We extend to you the Season's  
Jolly Greetings, and may we be  
of service to you in the coming  
year.

**IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED**  
Roy Pollard, Manager

**MERRY CHRISTMAS !**

Most of all we wish you a New Year  
filled with Good Health, Happiness  
and Prosperity.

**CHARM BEAUTY SALON**  
Edith Granger

**A JOYOUS  
CHRISTMAS TO ALL !**

is the sincere wish  
of

**RITCHIE'S DRY GOODS**

**FAULKNER'S  
USED GOODS**

**SEASON'S  
GREETINGS**

May you have health  
and all that is worth-  
while through this  
Christmas and the  
coming year.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

**M**OST of all we wish you a New Year  
filled with Good Health, Happiness  
and Prosperity.

**J. C. KENNEDY — S. R. DAVIS**  
Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada

**T**HE Management and Staff wish its  
many friends and customers

**A  
MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**HAPPY NEW YEAR**

**CHRISTMAS GREETINGS !**

**I**F all the good wishes in the  
world were put together,  
they would express our Christ-  
mas Greetings to you.

**H. MARANDA**  
Building Contractor

**J. M. GAGNON**  
General Contractor

In sincere appreciation  
of your patronage and  
hopes for your Good  
Health, I wish all my  
friends and customers

**A  
MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**  
and a  
**HAPPY  
NEW YEAR**

**THE KELOWNA BRANCH  
CANADIAN LEGION**

**E**XTENDS its best wishes and compliments  
of the season to all ex-service men,  
present soldiers and their families.

**THE MOR-EEZE SHOE STORE**  
Claude Willcox, Prop.  
**GOOD HEALTH, HAPPINESS and  
PROSPERITY**

May these be yours throughout the Festive  
Season and 1943.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL**

**MERRY CHRISTMAS !**

We take this opportunity of  
wishing you the Heartiest  
of Christmas Greetings and  
a Happy New Year.

**D. CHAPMAN CO., LTD.**

**OKANAGAN  
MERCANTILE  
AGENCY**  
General Insurance  
Agents

**H. S. ATKINSON**  
Manager  
**IAN MACLAREN**  
Salesman

Rooms 17 and 18  
Casorso Bldg.



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Dealer for  
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CARS and TRUCKS  
Massey Harris Farm Implements  
Lawrence Ave. Phone 252

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Bert Dickens, Prop.  
Prompt, Friendly Service  
Call in TODAY—TELE US.  
(Next to Kel. Steam Laundry)

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**BARBER SHOP**  
A Clean, Friendly Shop  
Expert Work  
**ROYAL ANNE**  
BARBER SHOP

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**D. CHAPMAN & CO.**  
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Haulage Contractors, Warehousing  
and Distributing. We specialize  
in Furniture Moving, Contract  
or Emergent Fruit Hauling.

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GET YOUR PURE  
MILK AND CREAM  
— from —  
**TUTT'S DAIRY**

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DENTIST  
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Shepherd Block - Phone 223  
Pendzoi and Lawrence Ave.

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Funeral Directors  
Day Phone, 33; Night, 502 & 79  
KELOWNA, B.C.

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**J. GALBRAITH**  
LTD.  
PLUMBING and HEATING  
Sheet Metal Work  
Estimates Gladly Given  
PHONE 100

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**MONUMENTS**  
Sand Blast Lettering  
**VERNON GRANITE & MARBLE CO.**  
Established 1910  
Agents: Kelowna Furniture Co.

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Optometrist  
Phone 373, Royal Anne Building

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Portraiture—Photo Finishings  
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FILMS DEVELOPED, 25c up.

### GLASS REPAIRED

Broken Auto  
Windows, etc.—Phone 312  
**S. M. SIMPSON, LTD.**

"My wife says that if I don't give  
up fishing, she's going to leave me."  
"Well—don't forget you've got a  
mighty fine wife."  
"I know it; I'm sure going to miss  
her."

### BOX SHOOK PRICE UP NEXT YEAR SUPPLIES SHORT

Special Committee Formed by  
B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. to Facilitate  
Supply—Logs Scarce

Box shook is going to cost more  
next year, possibly as much as four  
cents a box, according to information  
from the manufacturers which  
reached the B.C.F.G.A. executive  
at its meeting at Kelowna last week.  
It was also reported that at the  
present time there was little prospect  
of logs being secured for shook  
purposes. The executive concurred  
in the appointment by B.C. Tree  
Fruits Ltd. of a Box Shook Committee  
to exert active and immediate  
pressure to ensure successful  
marketing of the product.

This committee consists of Fred  
Lewis, chairman, G. A. Barrat, and  
Albert Millar, Oliver, with A. K.  
Lloyd as secretary.

It is understood that approaches  
will be made to the Timber Controller  
and to the Director of National  
Service, A. MacNamara, Ottawa,  
and to the Dominion Department  
of Labor, in respect of priority  
rights and labor for the logging camps.  
Colonel F. T. Fairley, Superintendent  
of Technical Education, B. C.  
Department of Education, advised  
the executive that he would be  
willing to confer with it in respect  
of arranging for the training of  
students for use in handling mechanical  
equipment in the orchards,  
including tractors. The secretary  
was instructed to write Colonel  
Fairley to ascertain if he knew of  
any sources of potential trainee material,  
also whether technical training  
of members of the projected  
Women's Land Army was contemplated.  
Re school taxation, which  
the executive has been taking up  
with the B.C. Government for more  
than a year, it was decided that  
letters should be sent to Premier  
Hart, Minister of Finance, and Hon.  
George Perry, Minister of Education,  
stating that the school tax on land  
be entirely removed and that the  
monies required for education be  
taken from the consolidated fund.

It was also agreed that the B.C.  
F.G.A. should co-operate in the  
effort that is being made by the B.C.  
Federation of Agriculture to organize  
a province-wide movement  
which would culminate in a submission  
to the B. C. Cabinet.  
Farm income tax and priorities  
came under consideration, following  
a report from E. J. Chambers,  
who took up these issues on behalf  
of the B.C.F.G.A. on his recent mission  
to Ottawa. His report indicated  
that there would likely be simplification  
of the farm income tax  
form, with more consideration to  
the grower's position. As to priorities,  
it seemed likely that agriculture  
would be placed in an improved  
position as to ratings.  
The executive discussed convention  
arrangements, and it is hoped that  
the speakers will include John  
H. Wesson, Vice-President, Canadian  
Federation of Agriculture; Des  
F. M. Clement, Hon. K. C. MacDonald,  
Dr. James Marshall, of Vernon,  
and Reeve Stella Gummow of  
Peachland, President of the B. C.  
Women's Institute.

The three countries with the largest  
population in the world are  
China, India and Russia.

### A JOYFUL CHRISTMAS TO ALL!

A NEW season is nearing . . . and as we  
stand upon the brink, it is pleasant to  
think of the friendly relations that have  
become mellow with the passing years . . .  
and there is a feeling of assurance that  
these relations shall continue as in the  
past . . . and that new friends will join our  
circle.

### LADD GARAGE LTD.

Lawrence Ave. Kelowna, B.C.

### Memory

Memory, that wondrous inside other self,  
As of a record made  
Of treasured thoughts of long ago,  
Real scenes that never fade.

E'en back, yes, back to childhood days,  
When life looked far ahead,  
Along an unknown highway  
With nothing there to dread.

Childhood dreams began to grow  
Into manhood's various ways;  
Memory always played its part  
Building life's most joyous days.

For this great earth is just a stage,  
On which the actors play  
A drama, a tragedy, a dreary plot,  
By night as well as day.

No two actors are the same,  
Are not a bit alike,  
That's why we wonder many times  
Why "our neighbor" don't do right.

We criticize so many times  
The things he does all wrong,  
But we forget that that's his part,  
The part on which he's strong.

Then in memory we wander back  
Among the many friends we love;  
Now we understand so many things  
And forgive, like Him above.

Surely, memory is Divine,  
A gift to us below,  
A record of the golden past;  
So a prayer of thanks we owe.

We try to erase the blackest spots,  
Parts that were not right,  
Which indented on the record  
Were dark instead of bright.

So, as the needle of memory?  
Brings out to us the pleasures,  
Of our small part in life's great play,  
We assemble the glorious treasures.

So, after all, the future  
Should be better than the past,  
Experience of this present day  
Must make a record that will last.

So, let us treasure friends most true,  
The sunshine and the rain,  
Look daily forward to the time  
We meet our friends again.

Then, as we sit by the fireside,  
And chat of days before,  
Think of all the kindly acts  
Could have been done in days of yore.

So, now when yet we have a chance,  
A kindly word, some flowers,  
Pleasant smile, a helping hand  
To a friend—and the joy is ours.

Then, as we traverse memory lane,  
Let nothing but the best,  
Be indented on the record,  
E'er we're laid away to rest.

### For a Thoughtful Christmas

Adv. —A. H. DE MARA.

### TOWARDS BETTER CITIZENSHIP

In spite of wartime anxieties, as  
the Christmas season approaches we  
find ourselves developing that familiar  
glow of friendliness towards  
our fellow citizens. Smiles are seen  
on almost every face as friends and  
acquaintances hail each other with  
Christmas greetings. Folks go out of  
their way to do little kindnesses for  
each other. Actually, Christmas in-  
creases the work required of almost  
every citizen. Store clerks work  
longer, busier hours; post office  
workers are rushed from morn till  
night; housewives find themselves  
in a flurry of cooking, knitting,  
sewing and housecleaning. And so it  
goes. Yet, in spite of extra tasks,  
we manage to find an extra amount  
of cheerfulness. If only that Christmas  
Spirit could last! Some people in-  
stinctively feel that if we could only  
view the situation of others with  
imagination, we could see so many  
opportunities to help our neighbors.  
And each kind act makes those who  
witness it aware of a higher citizen-  
ship which they, too, would like  
to attain.

Rutland school children are real-  
izing that many unselfish little acts  
(and sometimes big ones) are done  
in their community, both in Christ-  
mas season and out. They feel that  
we will all be the better for having  
them drawn to our attention. At the  
request of The Courier, they have  
made a collection of such items this  
week, which we present below, as an  
example of the little things which  
make the world a better place for  
all of us, those little things all too  
often neglected.

The Courier hopes to run this col-  
umn frequently and that the idea  
will extend to other schools. All  
schools are welcome to participate.  
The next time the column appears,  
it is planned to publish the name of  
the pupil submitting the item. A  
War Savings Stamp will be awarded  
to some pupil of the group submit-  
ting items each time the column  
appears.

Last week the Rutland pupils no-  
ticed the following:

A Rutland man, having accident-  
ally killed a man's dog with his car,  
offered the owner a new dog.

A student broke a school win-  
dow with a snowball. He went to the  
principal, told him what had hap-  
pened and offered to pay for the  
new window.

Three horses were fighting on the  
road. Some children on their way  
to school were afraid to pass. A man  
came along and drove off the horses  
so that the children could proceed.

Two little boys had a long way to  
go home from school. They were  
pulling a sled with them and after  
while the bigger boy pulled his tired  
companion the rest of the way home  
on the sled.

A Rutland father found a sick  
stray cat near his home. He carried  
it home and his children looked  
after it until it was well. They  
kept the cat.

Some Rutland High School stu-  
dents took charge of the scenery and  
makeup for the school Christmas  
concert. They were so obliging and  
considerate that teachers and stu-  
dents were delighted with their  
friendly help.

Several cases of pupils being  
given a lift to school by passing  
motorists.

A group of young people went to  
visit a lady who was ill and cheered  
her up by singing songs.

**JAYBEE STAG IS  
GREAT SUCCESS**

Kelowna Board Stages Best  
Party on Record at I.O.O.F.  
Hall—Have Raised \$800 For  
Kinsmen

The Kelowna Junior Board of  
Trade "stag" was a great success  
last Wednesday night at the I.O.O.F.  
Hall. A substantial amount was  
raised for the Kinsmen's "Milk  
for Britain Fund," which the Jay-  
bees are sponsoring in Kelowna.  
Jaybee officials state that the Board  
has sold approximately \$800 worth  
of tickets for the milk fund raffie.  
The stag party enjoyed musical  
and variety entertainment of a high  
calibre, and the consensus of opinion  
was that the stag party was the  
best on record.

The Chinese language embodies  
30,000 written characters.

### BASKETBALL ON BOXING DAY

Reds and Hornets Play Pent-  
ticon and Vernon Next Satur-  
day Afternoon

Boxing Day will be "Basketball  
Day" at the Kelowna Scout Hall  
when Reds and Hornets Council will  
tangle with fast outside competition.

Kelowna Reds, last year's Inter-  
mediate "B" Interior champs, will  
take on their old rivals, Pentticon  
Nalacos, and the Reds will be out  
to show the boys from the Banana  
Belt some new tricks.

Hornets who have moved up from  
Junior to Intermediate this season,  
will tangle with Vernon Aces and  
expect to take their northern foes  
into camp.

The first game, between Hornets  
and Aces, starts at 2:30 Saturday  
afternoon, and the second tilt is  
scheduled for around 3:30 p.m.

### SERVICE MEN'S NAMES NEEDED

Roll of Honor Being Compiled  
—Send Information at Once

Citizens of the Central Okanagan  
are reminded that if they have fathers,  
sons, brothers, mothers, daughters,  
sisters or friends serving with the  
Army, Navy and Air Force, and if  
these persons ever lived in Ke-  
lowna, they should send the names  
and addresses to Mr. A. G. Hors-  
field, P. O. Box 1165, Kelowna.

Mr. Horsfield has been appointed  
by the Kelowna City Council as  
official recorder of the roll of honor  
and has been instructed to compile  
the complete list of all those serving  
from the area extending from  
Okanagan Centre and Windfield on  
the north to Peachland on the south.

Already many names have been  
sent in, but it is the last hundred  
which is always the most difficult to  
get. Such a list, of course, should be  
as complete as it is possible to make  
it. The only way it can be complet-  
ed is by relatives and friends send-  
ing in the information. If you fail  
to send in this information and an  
honor roll is prepared permanently  
at the close of the war, your relative  
or friend may not be recorded thereon.  
It is little enough to do  
for those near to you who are serving  
in the forces, this writing of a  
letter giving the name and address  
or any other information you may  
have. If you haven't forwarded the  
information you have, won't you  
please do so at once?

### TO HOLD NEEDLES ON CHRISTMAS TREES

It is easy to stop the fall of  
Christmas tree needles. Saw off a  
portion of the tree's base—enough  
so that the fresh wood will be ex-  
posed. Set a shallow pan of water  
beneath the base of the tree, in  
which the base should be immersed.  
A teaspoonful of sugar should be  
added to the water. The water pro-  
vides needed moisture and the sugar  
nourishes the needles, giving them  
strength to hold on longer.

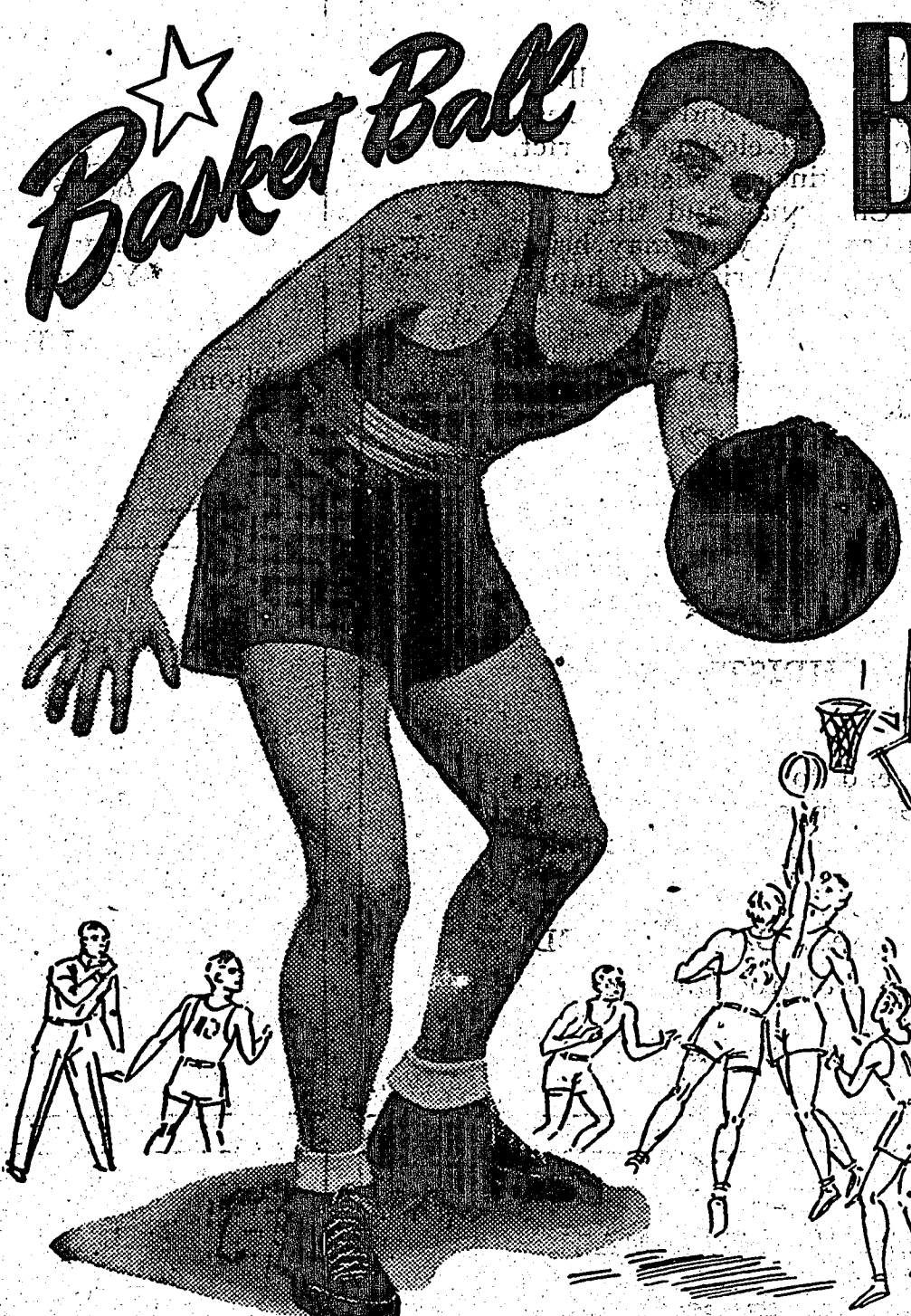
Canada's timber is being studied  
in the hope of finding a wood suit-  
able for pipe bowls, says the Mon-  
treal Gazette. If successful results  
are achieved, the Canadian smoker  
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**BOXING  
DAY**

Saturday, Dec 26th

**PENTICTON**

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versus

**KELOWNA**

REDS

Games start at

**2.30 p.m.**

ADMISSION — 35c & 15c

—PRELIMINARY—

**VERNON ACES vs. KELOWNA HORNETS**

SPECIAL ADDED ATTRACTION AT 3.30 P.M.

COME AND SUPPORT YOUR TEAM—BOOST AND HELP PROMOTE THE  
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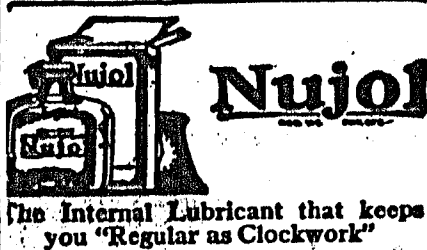
HOLIDAY HOURS  
Christmas Day, 4-5 p.m.  
Boxing Day, 10-11 a.m., 7-8 p.m.  
Sunday, 4-5:30 p.m.

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## A Merry Christmas

The Management and Staff of P. B. Willits & Co., Ltd., wish one and all a

VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS



NEW LARGE SIZE

32 oz. - 89c

Regular sizes 330 and 550

This year give him a SEAFORTH GIFT

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Kelowna, B.C.



Store open until 9:30 p.m. Christmas Eve (Tonight).

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## HITHER AND YON

Miss Ellen Cross, Nelson, arrived in town on Sunday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cross, Strathcona Avenue.

Lieut. J. A. Gooding, C.W.A.C., Vancouver, was a visitor in Kelowna last week.

Miss Mildred Caswell left on Wednesday evening for Vancouver, where she will spend the Christmas week-end at her home.

Miss Olive Mounce leaves this week to spend the Christmas holidays in Vancouver.

Mrs. H. D. Gooderham returned on Monday morning from Winnipeg, where she had been a visitor.

Miss Marjorie Pearcey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Pearcey, Park Avenue, will spend the Christmas holidays in Kelowna. Miss Pearcey is a member of Boel's staff in Vancouver.

Miss Connie Harvey, Trail, will spend the Christmas holidays visiting her mother, Mrs. B. B. Harvey, Glenn Avenue.

Mrs. George Ellis entertained at the ten hour last Thursday afternoon, at the Royal Anne Hotel, honoring Miss Janet Craig, whose wedding to Lieut. Robert Hayman, R.C.N.V.R., takes place this evening.

Miss Craig was the recipient of many lovely miscellaneous shower gifts from her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Williams, Winnipeg, were visitors in Kelowna for several days, during the past week, en route to the Coast.

Miss Doris Marshall spent a short holiday in Penticton during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Parkins will spend the Christmas week-end in Penticton visiting their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mitchell and daughter, Valerie, left on Wednesday to spend the holidays in Calgary as the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Mitchell.

Miss Valerie Perrin returned to her home in Penticton last Thursday, after spending a holiday in Kelowna.

Mrs. George Bell, Vancouver, arrived in Kelowna this week to spend the holiday season visiting her daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Wilson, Riverside Avenue.

The Misses George and Jean Harvey, Vancouver, arrive in Kelowna this week to spend their Christmas holidays visiting their mother, Mrs. B. B. Harvey, Glenn Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Coates, Kelowna, are guests of the Royal Anne Hotel for the winter months.

Mrs. David Horn left on Monday for a visit to Vancouver.

Mrs. R. J. Sprott, Vancouver, is a guest of the Royal Anne Hotel.

Mrs. M. Collette, Penticton, spent several days in Kelowna during the past week, a guest of the Royal Anne Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Johnstone, Penticton, were visitors in Kelowna last week.

Miss L. Crowther, Victoria, is visiting Kelowna, a guest of the Royal Anne Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pollard, Rowcliffe Avenue, will have as their house guest over the holiday season, their daughter, Miss May Pollard, Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Morrison, Seattle, were visitors in Kelowna over the week-end.

The staff of Fumerton's Ltd., held a very enjoyable pre-Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson, Lawrence Avenue, on Thursday evening of last week. Games were played and after refreshments were served gifts were distributed from a beautifully decorated Christmas tree.

Mrs. H. Riches and daughter, Eleanor, Vancouver, are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Fumerton, Vimy Avenue, during the holiday season.

Mrs. J. Newsom left this past week for Langley, B. C., where she will spend the Christmas holidays. Mr. Newsom leaves later in the week for Langley.

Miss Kay Reid leaves this evening, Thursday, for Vancouver, where she will spend the Christmas week-end.

Mrs. Mary Blackburn will spend the Christmas week-end in Armstrong.

Miss Gwen Macdonald, Penticton, will spend Christmas in Kelowna, the guest of her parents, Sgt. and Mrs. A. Macdonald.

Mrs. Anne McClymont is a visitor at the Coast this week.

Engagement Announced  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bell, Okanagan Mission, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Lois Bell, S.R.N., and S.C.M., to Lieut. A. J. C. Saudek, R.A.M.C., only son of the late Dr. and Mrs. Philip Saudek, Golders Green, London, England.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. L. Roadhouse and the latter's mother, Mrs. McDougall, are planning on spending Boxing Day in Penticton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Whiteway will spend Christmas visiting friends in Armstrong. Later in the week Mr. Whiteway will leave for Vancouver on a business trip.

Wm. Crack, Vancouver, who was pained, will return to town early in the staff of the Victory Loan January to become a member of the Committee during the recent campaign.

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## KELOWNA GIRL IS WED AT PENTICTON

Ella Ruth McClain Marries Russell Charles Yule

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of the groom, Brunswick Street, Penticton, when Ella Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McClain, Kelowna, was united in marriage to Russell Charles Yule, only son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Yule, on Sunday, December 13, at 3:00 p.m.

The bride wore a navy blue pin-stripe suit under a pale grey top-coat with her hat and gloves en-tone. Her ensemble was offset by a corsage of white carnations.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Leonard Parker, while the latter's husband was the groomsmen.

Following the ceremony, a wedding supper was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Parker.

The honeymoon was spent traveling in the South of England.

The happy couple left on the evening train for Vancouver, where they will reside.

Mrs. M. Roberts and Mrs. A. E. Coolson and her two daughters, Jill and Wendy, left on Wednesday evening for Vancouver, where they will spend the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Griffith have as their guests over the Christmas holidays their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McKie, Kamloops.

Miss Myrtle Hawkey, Princeton, is spending the Christmas holidays in Kelowna.

Mrs. T. Dalrymple entertained on Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Janet Craig and Lieut. Robert Hayman, whose wedding takes place this evening, Thursday.

Miss Margaret Petrie, Vancouver, arrived in Kelowna on Tuesday and is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Craig, Rutland. Miss Petrie will be Miss Janet Craig's attendant at her wedding this evening.

Mrs. D. Hawkey (nee Barbara Fry), Revelstoke, will spend several days in Kelowna this week visiting her mother, Mrs. Helen Fry, Royal Anne Hotel.

Miss Grace Cavan, Penticton, was a visitor in Kelowna for several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Winnipeg, are guests of the Royal Anne Hotel.

Miss Alice Perry, Vancouver, is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. Perry, Fendoo Street.

UNITED CHURCH MUSIC  
Christmas carols and anthems will be given next Sunday, both morning and evening in the United Church.

The church choir will present two special selections with E. Burnett as soloist at the morning service, and o'clock music presentation.

Seven popular carols will be sung by the C.G.I.T. choir in its seven o'clock music presentation.

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## LOCAL MAN WEDS OVERSEAS

Pte. J. Stewart Marries Scottish Girl

The wedding took place at Hosham, Sussex, England, on Monday, November 16th, 1942, of Mary Fraser, elder daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alan Kennedy, Caputh, Perthshire, Scotland, and Pte. John Stewart, 1st Canadian Scottish Regiment, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stewart, East Kelowna.

The bride wore a navy blue pin-stripe suit under a pale grey top-coat with her hat and gloves en-tone. Her ensemble was offset by a corsage of white carnations.

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The honeymoon was spent traveling in the South of England.

The happy couple left on the evening train for Vancouver, where they will reside.

Mrs. M. Roberts and Mrs. A. E. Coolson and her two daughters, Jill and Wendy, left on Wednesday evening for Vancouver, where they will spend the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Griffith have as their guests over the Christmas holidays their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McKie, Kamloops.

Miss Myrtle Hawkey, Princeton, is spending the Christmas holidays in Kelowna.

Mrs. T. Dalrymple entertained on Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Janet Craig and Lieut. Robert Hayman, whose wedding takes place this evening, Thursday.

Miss Margaret Petrie, Vancouver, arrived in Kelowna on Tuesday and is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Craig, Rutland. Miss Petrie will be Miss Janet Craig's attendant at her wedding this evening.

Mrs. D. Hawkey (nee Barbara Fry), Revelstoke, will spend several days in Kelowna this week visiting her mother, Mrs. Helen Fry, Royal Anne Hotel.

Miss Grace Cavan, Penticton, was a visitor in Kelowna for several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Winnipeg, are guests of the Royal Anne Hotel.

Miss Alice Perry, Vancouver, is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. Perry, Fendoo Street.

UNITED CHURCH MUSIC  
Christmas carols and anthems will be given next Sunday, both morning and evening in the United Church.

The church choir will present two special selections with E. Burnett as soloist at the morning service, and o'clock music presentation.

Seven popular carols will be sung by the C.G.I.T. choir in its seven o'clock music presentation.

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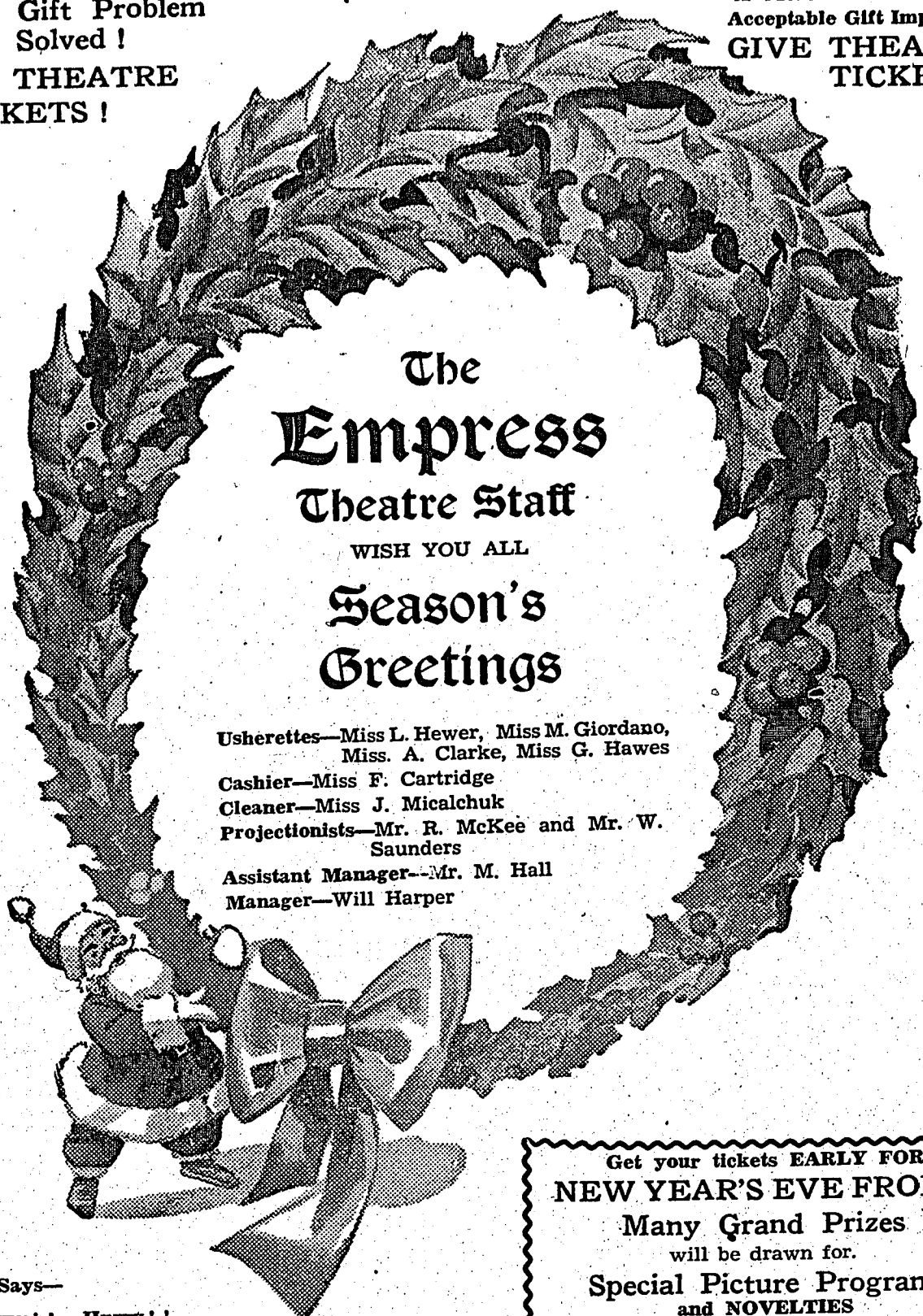




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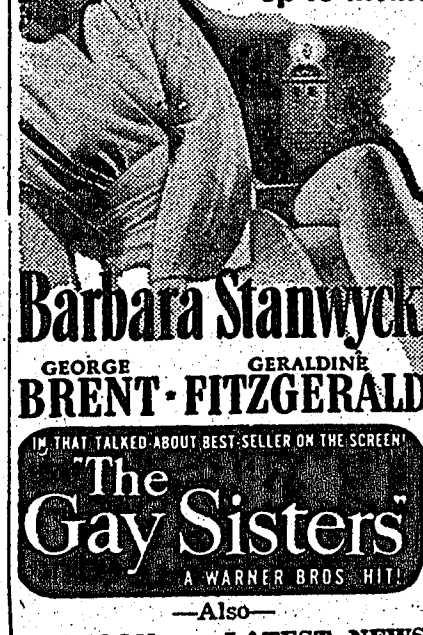


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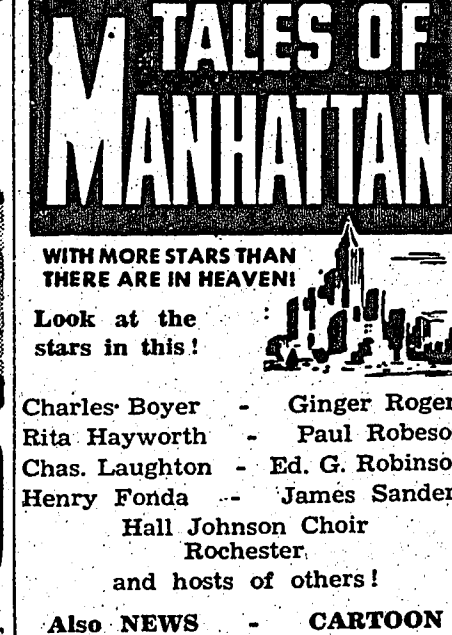
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## GLENMORE

Mrs. G. H. Moubrey returned home early last week, after a trip to Lethbridge, Alberta. Her daughter, Mrs. Jim Snowsell, accompanied her mother home.

L.A.C. Jim Snowsell arrived home on Saturday from his training camp at Lethbridge. He will spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Snowsell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hume are expecting their son, L.A.C. Bert Hume, home on leave from Macleod, Alberta, this Thursday, to spend Christmas with them.

Mrs. Percy Rankin returned home from the Kelowna General Hospital on Tuesday of last week. She is making satisfactory progress.

Mrs. Noyes, of Naramata, arrived on Saturday last and will spend several weeks at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hume.

John Clarke returned home last week from the Kelowna General Hospital and is very much improved in health.

Miss Edna Carlson, of East Kelowna, is spending a couple of weeks with her cousins, Milton and Vernice Carlson.

Rex Marshall returned from the University of B.C. on Saturday to spend the Christmas vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Marshall.

Mrs. Dick Hartwick and little son Richard returned to Okanagan

## PENTICTON TO INSTALL GAS CHLORINATOR

Penticton Municipal Council has decided to install a Patterson gas chlorinator, which will ensure purity of the municipal water supply throughout the year.

The equipment will cost approximately \$2,500 and operation expense will not exceed \$100 per annum.

Dr. J. M. Hershey stated that Penticton's water was "not up to the standard ordinarily accepted."

"I am not pretending that, if it is not chlorinated for twelve months in the year, an outbreak will occur," stated the Health Unit Director.

However, I do feel that water of this class has inherent possibilities of danger.

Dr. Hershey pointed out that local residents may have built up partial immunity to impurities present in the drinking supply. However, tourists and other visitors would not have this immunity and would be open to the danger of sickness.

Major C. H. Dahn, M.C., District Engineer, Okanagan, arrived in town during the past week to spend two weeks visiting his wife and two daughters, Doris and Kitty, who are home for the holidays from St. Anne's School in Kamloops.

Mission on Saturday last, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Hartwick, Sr.

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minds changed and the article taken back and swapped for something else.

More than one woman, too, has had the experience of selecting an article and laying it on the counter beside her while she selected a second, only to find that some other woman had picked up her original selection.

Ottawa gave birth to a brain wave which was supposed to curtail the sale of liquor. All it succeeded in doing was to cause inconvenience and waste gasoline. The local liquor store reports probably a greater sale than any year in its history.

Undoubtedly the number of customers served will show a tremendous increase, for instead of going once to purchase the Christmas supply, many people now are forced to go several days and buy a bottle each day.

There is no curtailment in the buying, just an added nuisance of visiting the liquor store and adding to the general confusion which surrounds that busy place during the pre-Christmas season.

The censor permits no mention of the weather, which is most unfortunate because a real story could be told about Kelowna's 1942 Christmas weather.

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\$50 Certificates

2788, Balcombe, George, Vernon, B.C.

2272, Fisher, Pamela Kay, Box 487, Kelowna, B.C.

\$25 Certificates  
509, Sage, A. E., Armstrong, B.C.

1254, Thompson, Kate, Okanagan Mission, B.C.

297, Faulkner, Charles, Kelowna, B.C.

2782, Hembling, G. K., Box 715, Vernon, B.C.

\$10 Certificates  
128, Derosier, Mrs. Marian, R.R. 1, Summerland, B.C.

1778, Friend, C. E., Kelowna, B.C.

1014, Everett, Matilda, 908 7th St., Vernon, B.C.

1404, Tutt, Henry, Box 454, Kelowna, B.C.

2021, Buchanan, Jack, Mayfair Hotel, Kelowna, B.C.

3472, Hare, Maude, Upper Bench, Penticton, B.C.

2019, Keighley, Lester J., Box 755, Penticton, B.C.

3041, Fisher, Thos., 445 Main St., Penticton, B.C.

3775, Rozander, Gerald, Penticton, B.C.

60, Gray, W. Gordon, Armstrong, B.C.

294, Greening, Polly, Box 535, Kelowna, B.C.

1070, Glead, Edith, Okanagan Centre, B.C.

130, Ruffie, A. E., Peachland, B.C.

\$5 Certificates  
423, Charlton, Andrew F., Box 1234, Kelowna, B.C.

1677, Ryder, M., Kelowna, B.C.

500, Fitz-Gerald, Mary C. D., East Kelowna, B.C.

1021, Cook, Pauline A., Kelowna, B.C.

241, Reorda, Roy, Box 1385, Kelowna, B.C.

885, Hayward, G. F., Winfield, B.C.

763, Butler, Mrs. Mary, East Kelowna, B.C.

2801, Carpenter, C. H., 1008 Main St., Penticton, B.C.

1015, Varley, Mrs. Ada, Box 1013, Vernon, B.C.

2170, Casorso, Mrs. Ethel G., Rutland, B.C.

3871, Warren, Thomas, Penticton, B.C.

2779, Underhill, Doreen, Kelowna, B.C.

3461, Mahoney, James, Penticton, B.C.

940, Thomas, Violet M., Princeton, B.C.

1041, Hawkey, Myrtle, Princeton, B.C.

2030, Jackson, Hazel E., Box 628, Kelowna, B.C.

775, Chagun, Emma, Canoe, B.C.

357, Gale, F., Box 307, Kelowna, B.C.

30, Hawryns, Mrs. M., Grindrod, B.C.

526, Butt, Mrs. Edith, Westbank, B.C.

404, Phillips, Martha, Box 711, Kelowna, B.C.

774, Tellock, Dorothy, Canoe, B.C.

1775, McEachern, Janet, Box 701, Kelowna, B.C.

1248, Curtis, Orvel, Kelowna, B.C.

1025, Clark, Eugene H., Grindrod, B.C.

1545, Wood, A. Basil, Box 719, Kelowna, B.C.

2883, Staples, Alan B., Beaverdell, B.C.

Sellers' Prizes  
\$25, Scott, A. J., R.R. 1, Kelowna, B.C.

\$10, Everitt, Mrs. L. H., Vernon, B.C.

\$10, Butt, Winnifred, Kelowna, B.C.

\$5, Smith, Mrs. Emily, Box 862, Vernon, B.C.

\$5, Quong, Jim, Kelowna, B.C.

BIRTHS  
GOFFIC—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Friday, December 18th, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Goffic, Kelowna, a son.

KOENIG—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Saturday, December 19th, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Koenig, Kelowna, a daughter.

MORRISON—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Saturday, December 19th, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morrison, Kelowna, a son.

FISHER—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Sunday, December 20th, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fisher, Kelowna, a daughter.

HILL—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Monday, December 21st, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hill, Peachland, a son.

MILLER—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Tuesday, December 22nd, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, Kelowna, a daughter.

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## "AID TO RUSSIA" TAKING FORM IN KELOWNA

Will Hold Meeting to Discuss  
Local Plans

A committee to raise funds to support the Dominion-wide "Aid to Russia" campaign will probably be formed here within the next few days.

His Worship Mayor G. A. McKay has been asked to accept the chairmanship of such a committee by the B.C. headquarters of the campaign.

While His Worship has not said he will accept the position, he is arranging a meeting at which the project will be discussed and what local action will be taken, if any.

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